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N. Y. POLICE WATCH PLAYS

Reform Activities Not Confined to So Called "Dirty Dozen."

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PROMINENT PEOPLE IN "WET" RANKS

Those Opposed to Prohibition to Meet Jan. 21.

[illegible]

NO GUARANTEE IN RAIL ACT CLAIM

[illegible] Nov 24 —(P)— [illegible] out that there [illegible] section in the Esch [illegible] despite assertions by [illegible] speakers and resolutions of [illegible] specifically naming such [illegible] alleged section has been issued [illegible] W. Baldwin president of the [illegible] store

REOPEN BASTROP TRIAL ON DEC. 10

New Orleans Nov 24.—Attorney-General A. [illegible] late Friday telegraphed District Attorney J. V. Harvell at Monroe to set Monday Dec. 10 as the date for resumption at Bastrop of the Morehouse Parish [illegible] misdemeanor trials.

BANKER DOES NOT FEAR COMMUNISTS

Chicagoan Scouts Doctrines of Radicals.

Elgin Ill Nov 24—Melvin Traylor president of the First Trust and Savings bank of Chicago and head of the Illinois Bankers association declared last night:

Any demagogue who tries to set the people against the banks of this country should be driven from the country or the political position he holds. Why Wall street and LaSalle street would cease to be grass would grow between the street car rails if bankers did what demagogues say [illegible]

SPEAKS AT BANQUET

[illegible]

U. OF I. STUDENTS HURT IN CRASH

Three Injured on Way to Ohio Game.

[illegible] One [illegible] seriously injured two [illegible] night when [illegible] engine demolished [illegible] Main [illegible]

[illegible] and at the hospital [illegible] He was [illegible] about the [illegible]

[illegible] were uninjured [illegible] Campaign [illegible] of the car went to the [illegible] without being [illegible] to have sustained [illegible]

[illegible] the automobile but [illegible] the driver refused to heed the [illegible] upon the [illegible] path of the [illegible]

CONFESSION FREES MURDER SUSPECT

[illegible] An alleged confession [illegible] arrested for [illegible] that he [illegible] during a [illegible] exonerated [illegible] identified as the [illegible] alleged

[illegible] a blonde woman [illegible] the factory and [illegible] Lehmann [illegible] Ethel Beck [illegible] arrested [illegible] Bockel- [illegible] the [illegible] blonde woman [illegible] male for her [illegible] slightly wounded

INDICT NEWSBOY IN BOMB PLOT

[illegible] Nov 24—[illegible] murder in connection with the sending of the bomb which killed J. A. Barnes and his young son Jess here Nov 14 were returned by the grand jury [illegible] Friday against Juan Mor[illegible] 14 year old newsboy of San An[illegible] and [illegible] stepfather Victor [illegible]

WOUNDED VETS IN PRESIDENT'S BOX

New York Nov 24—Half a dozen wounded veterans of the war, led by a man without an arm and a leg, but with his khaki coat covered with decorations occupied the presidential box today at the Army-Navy football game.

They were the guests of Bascom Slemp secretary to President Coolidge.

DECLARES PINCHOT'S PLAN UNLAWFUL

Philadelphia Nov 24 — Governor Pinchot's suggestion that anthracite operators refuse to sell to retailers who charge more than a fair price to the consumer is unlawful and will not be accepted S. D. Warriner spokesman for the operators in their negotiations last summer with the mine workers declared in a letter to the governor

CONGRESS WILL PAY HARDING RESPECTS

Washington, Nov 24.—Under present plans of Republican leaders, Congress will adjourn immediately after its meeting on Dec. 3 out of respect to the memory of President Harding

KLAN TRIUMPHS IN OKLAHOMA

Supporters Emerge Victorious in Test of Strength.

Oklahoma City Nov 24—(P)—Ku Klux Klan supporters emerged victorious in their first test of strength in the state senate when the upper house voted yesterday to strike from the proposed anti-Klan measure under consideration a section which would have compelled secret organizations in Oklahoma to file membership lists for public inspection

Proponents of the section declared that by its defeat the senate would fail to enact anti-klan legislation "with teeth" in it although they took some consolation in the passage of a provision requiring officers of secret organizations to register their names with county authorities

DRAMATIC DEBATE

The action on the membership clauses came at the close of a day filled with dramatic debate Opponents of the klan denounced it as being founded on racial hatred and religious intolerance and described it as a "revival of the organization of reconstruction days which was strongly condemned Its friends defended it as a righteous organization upholding law and order in the midst of crime

Senator Harry Glasser who led the attack on the klan assailed the organization for its operations under the mask and declared "the question of religious intolerance has no place in a democracy"

Chief of the klan defenders was Senator Wash Hudson majority floor leader who declared that the klan is an agency for law and order and that much of its effectiveness is gained from its secret membership

SET FOR NOV. 28

Oklahoma City Okla Nov 24—(P)—Arraignment of J. C. Walton deposed governor indicted yesterday was set today for November 28 before Judge Clark in state district court Dr. A. E. Davenport state health commissioner and T. P. Edwards the former governor's chauffeur also indicted will enter pleas at the same time All have made bond

NEW TRIUMPHS FOR POINCARE

Premier's Friends Overjoyed At Latest Diplomatic Developments.

Paris Nov 24—(P)—Friends of Premier Poincare are overjoyed at the latest developments in France's foreign relations feeling that these more than compensate for what she may have sacrificed in the notes sent to Germany by the ambassadors council

The premier's triumph in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday, and the news of the capitulation of Hugo Stinnes and the Ruhr coal magnates give Premier Poincare's partisans much satisfaction

IMPORTANT CONCESSION.

Paris Nov 24—(P)—It is felt in official circles here that France made another important concession to the Allies and to Germany in the contract signed yesterday with the Stinnes group of Ruhr industrialists In this contract it is stipulated all deliveries in kind shall be credited to Germany on reparation account while taxes collected by the occupying countries shall be paid into what is called a productive pledge fund

From this fund occupying authorities would pay the cost of occupation subject to the rights of the reparation commission This is understood to mean France and Belgium will be unable to use the receipts from taxes even to pay the cost of maintaining their forces in the Ruhr unless permission to do so is given by the reparation commission

DENTIST SUES FOR $100,000 DAMAGES

Says Arrest in $1,000,000 Case False.

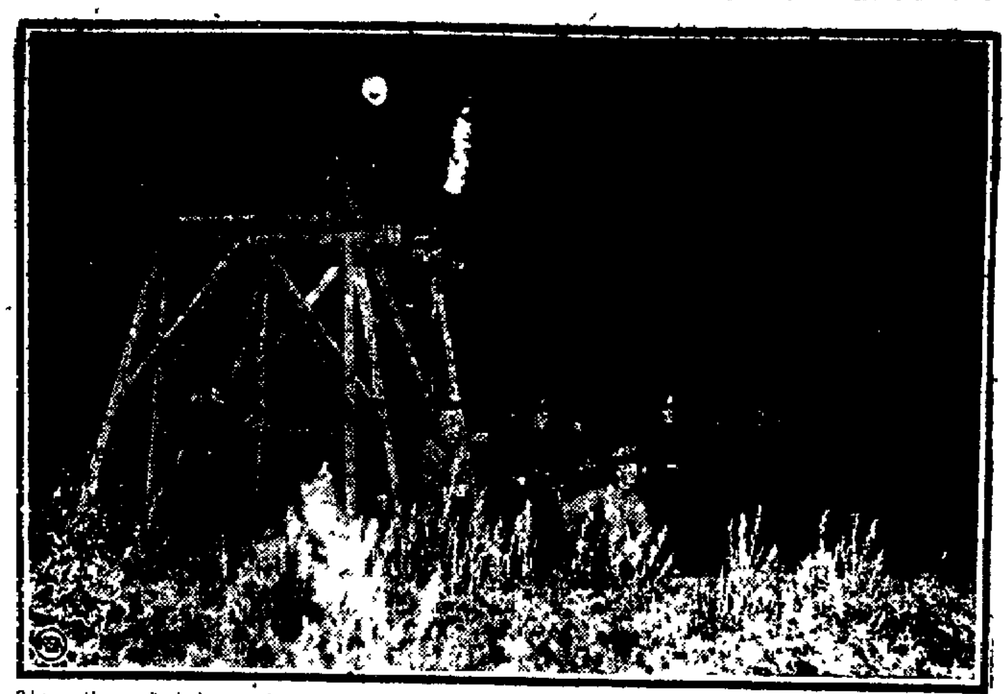
Chicago Nov 24—Dr Spencer Brown held by police as a ringleader in the looting a month ago of safety deposit boxes in the Werner Brothers warehouse where stocks and bonds valued at $1,000,000 were stolen, filed a praecipe for $100,000 damages against warehouse officials and detectives charging false arrest and entering his home without a search warrant.

This action came after opening of investigation into the case by the county grand jury

SUE HAROLD LLOYD FOR $150,000

New York, Nov. 24—A charge that the Harold Lloyd Corporation had appropriated the plot of Owen Davis' play "The Nervous Wreck" and made it into a motion picture entitled "Why Worry," was contained in a suit to recover $150,000 damages filed in supreme court

GUNS GUARD POTATO FIELD IN STRICKEN GERMANY



This is the most striking picture to come out of Germany so far as the food scarcity is concerned So desperate are the Berlin people that many trudge miles into the country in the hope of stealing a few potatoes from the farms Britz near Berlin, is a center of potato culture The photo shows the Britz police force on night guard A great electric searchlight plays over the field. Officers with telescopes are looking for thieves

CLAIMS HENRY FORD WILL RUN

Manufacturer Will Head Independent Ticket, Says Close Friend.

Detroit Nov 24—Henry Ford will run for president if nominated on an independent ticket without a platform E. R. Potter of Dearborn life long friend of the automobile manufacturer said last night following a meeting of a committee arranging details of the Ford for president clubs conference here next month

He said he talked with Ford recently but declined to outline the nature of the conversation Mr Ford did not tell me to desist in my effort to make him president he added

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE PREPARES MESSAGE

Will Be Brief and Carry Recommendations.

Washington Nov 24—President Coolidge today began his final polishing of his message to congress which many observers believe will have an important bearing on his future political fortunes He completed the main part of his work yesterday and all that remains is the clarifying of the language of several sections

The message is expected to be brief White House officials having made it known that the President intends to present his recommendations without long argument or discussion but on the basis of what he feels to be their intrinsic soundness"

Little is known of the details of the message but it is generally thought that its principal sections will deal with taxation agricultural relief and transportation

Mysterious Werner Robbery Case Stranger Than Fiction

BY J. P. YODER (Copyright, 1923)

Chicago Nov 24—A Conan Doyle before he began communing with spirits never conjured up a more intricate nor melodramatic case for Sherlock Holmes to solve than the amazing case of the million dollar Werner vault robbery which today is engaging the best brains of the Chicago detective department

The case out fictions anything that was ever written That statement takes in a lot of territory, but here's the scenario of a crime that makes the most lurid of them look drab

ACETYLENE TORCH.

On Oct 26 one of the string of Werner safety deposit storage houses was robbed With an acetylene torch the most expert of crooks had scorched his way through several feet of brick and steel from an adjoining building Twenty-eight safety deposit boxes had been opened But only one, according to renters of the twenty-eight had been robbed In one of the boxes that had been opened was left untouched a roll of thousand dollar bills big enough to choke the proverbial cow There were thirty of them

The one box that had been rifled of a million dollars in jewels cash and negotiable securities belonged to the heirs of a famous Chicago family—the Ehrhardts—and the owners told the police that all the securities had recently been signed as transferable which made them virtually as easy to pass as a gold dollar.

DENTIST'S LABORATORY

For more than a week the police were completely baffled. Then the trail led them to the "laboratory" of Doctor Spencer Brown, a taciturn mysterious chemist and dentist, who for fifteen years has been the hu[illegible] man cul de sac against which the police have run in several mysterious robberies which they never solved Brown today is held in $78,000 bond for a hearing next Tuesday

When police went to his downtown office to question Brown they found one entrance with seven locks on it Entering by force they found a suite fitted with rare Oriental furnishings A small hidden door found and opened rang an alarm when swung on its hinges A detective climbing to the roof, found a secret trap door, and captured Brown who was attempting to enter that way Brown denies knowing anything about the crime but two slips of paper found in his office bore the words "Werner deposit vaults

GET $24,500

Police have ripped out walls and floors in Brown's office in search of some of the loot Their efforts were redoubled when $24,500 in securities taken in another raid twelve hours before Brown was arrested were found to be a part of the Werner loot

They rushed to Antioch where Brown's young and pretty wife lived in a spacious "bungalow" She had left with three suit cases a few hours before and a woman answering her description had boarded an aeroplane with three suitcases Three hours later an aeroplane was wrecked seventy miles from Antioch and two men and a woman crawled from the wreckage with three suit cases, got into an automobile and sped north.

The two men later were arrested It is believed the loot was in the suit cases with which the woman escaped The police learned nothing from the two men They paid fines of ten dollars each for landing without a permit, and were let go

MONUMENT TO MARK BIRTHPLACE OF THE FIRST CHILD IN U. S.

Manteo N. C. Nov 24—(P)—A movement has been started by a group of citizens to permanently mark historical spots and one of the places to be designated by a monument If the plans materialize is the birthplace of Virginia Dare the first white child born on American soil

The spot is on Roanoke Island often referred to as the cradle of the English race in America There is some doubt as to the exact spot where Virginia Dare was born but it is believed to be near Fort Raleigh about three miles north of Manteo

MARKS THE SITE

Mounds of earth forming the sides of a pentagon at each angle of which is a stone post protruding about a foot from the ground show the location of the old fort In the center of the fort there is now an unpretentious stone marker on which is inscribed some of the historical records of the place Unscrupulous relic collectors have marred the present stone marker [illegible] inscription still can be read

BLAME STOWAWAY FOR SHIP TRAGEDY

Marseilles France Nov 24—A stowaway is said to have caused an explosion aboard the British steamer Otterburn just after the vessel left here for New York yesterday Tugs from this port towed the blazing steamer into the roadway where she burned to the water edge The captain and four of the crew are known to have perished

CAPTURE RUM SHIP NEAR GALVESTON

Galveston Tex Nov 24—Concrete evidence to substantiate reports of rum running activity near Galveston Island in the shape of a British schooner the Island Home with 86 cases of whiskey and two barrels of beer on board was moored alongside the docks here today and preparations were being made by Customs Collector Humphreys to hold a hearing to decide the status of the craft

The Island Home was captured late Friday about five miles off San Luis Pass

EBERT SELECTS VON KARDORFF

People's Party Man Asked to Form New Cabinet.

London Nov 24—(P)—President Ebert has invited Herr VonKardorff a member of the German Peoples party in the Reichstag to form a new German cabinet says a News Agency dispatch from Berlin this afternoon It is anticipated that he will accept the message states

CRISIS SERIOUS

London Nov 24—Downfall of the Stresemann government is viewed here as an event of the utmost significance possibly involving developments destined to have a deep and lasting effect on Europe The fact that some morning newspapers oust the British election campaign from first place to display their Berlin dispatches on the Reichstag's rejection of the chancellor and the situation in Germany indicates the crisis is regarded as serious

DEFENDS FREDERICK

Berlin Nov 24—(P)—"The former German crown prince is a thoroughly natured man of liberal and clarified thoughts whose outlook on life has expanded considerably " Dr. Stresemann told newspaper men today in a defence of the government's action in permitting him to return to Germany

The retiring chancellor resented the note of the council of ambassadors on the subject which he declared was a purely domestic German affair

ASKS PASSPORT

London Nov 24—The Berlin correspondent of the Daily Mail forwards a report that the former German crown prince has asked for an Italian visa intending to go to Merano an Italian health resort in the former Austrian Tyrol where his brother Adalbert is staying

FEAR DRUG MAY HAVE BEEN POISON

Cincinnati Nov 24—Following the death of three women patients at Longview hospital for the insane here after they had received injections of a widely used specific for blood disease Dr Baber superintendent of the hospital went to Columbus today with samples of the drug He will ask the state board of health to make an analysis to disclose if the drug was impure so as to make it highly poisonous

SCIENTISTS SEEK SPEED OF LIGHT

Chicago Nov 24—After several weeks of experiments the final result of which is expected to have a bearing on the Einstein theory Professor Albert Michelson and Dean Henry G Gale of the University of Chicago, have determined that their methods are correct it was disclosed.

Final tests are to be made next spring They seek to measure the velocity of light in connection with the movement ether, although Einstein has disregarded ether

With a tube one foot in diameter laid in the form of a square 1,500 inches to each side, they expect to make the final tests If ether travels with the earth they hold that a beam of light will require the same time to go around the tube in both directions but if the beam travels faster in one direction they consider it would indicate that the ether does not move with the earth and does affect the velocity of light

ARKANSAS MINERS OPPOSE THE KLAN

Fort Smith Ark., Nov 24—District Number 21, United Mine Workers of America, meeting here Friday in biennial constitutional convention went on record and incorporated in their constitution a provision to debar from membership in their organization any person holding membership in the Ku Klux Klan.

GEORGE SEES ONLY CHAOS

Former Premier Discouraged Over Political and Trade Situation.

Glasgow Nov 24—Former Premier Lloyd George declared in a campaign speech today that Great Britain's relations with France were never worse

"I doubt whether in living memory they have been so bad as now" he said

"Owing to what has happened the last year the restoration of normal trade condition throughout the vast population of central Europe probably has been postponed not for a matter of months but a matter of years" he declared

NO REPARATIONS

France was beginning to realize there were no reparations in her policy he continued

"A year ago last August" he said "I told M. Poincare in London that if you invade the Ruhr you will have no cash but wagonloads of trouble He has had no cash and has had tons of trouble

He has started on the path that made the most horrible war in history It was the invasion of France

ANNEX TERRITORY

The beginning was an attempt by the Germans to annex territory which did not belong to them Poincare has committed the world to exactly the same policy now"

When the French peasant he went on realized he was not getting the reparation to which he was entitled his common sense would come to the rescue

BOMBS EXPLODE AT TWO CONSULATES

Spanish, Italian Philadelphia Offices Damaged.

Philadelphia Nov 24—Two bomb explosions in foreign consulates in downtown district early today injured scores of persons and damaged many houses No one was seriously hurt so far as police could learn

The first explosion occurred at the Spanish consulate about 1 a. m and the second at the Sons of Italy bank an hour later The Italian consulate is located in the bank building and the bomb was placed on the door leading to the consulate office

IN WIDE RADIUS

Both blasts shattered windows and shook houses in a wide radius The force of the explosion at the Spanish consulate was so great that many persons were hurled from their beds some being cut and bruised by glass Emilio De Motta the consul was badly shaken when his room on the second floor was wrecked

BLAME SAME PARTY

The fact that the Italian consulate was located in the bank building led the police to believe that the same persons were responsible for the placing of both bombs

The Italian consul was not in the city but vice consul DiVincenzo who appeared at the scene shortly after the explosion said he had no idea why the place was wrecked

COOLIDGE AIDS IN SHOALS SOLUTION

President Takes An Active Part in Discussion.

Washington Nov 24—President Coolidge is taking an active part in efforts to solve the Muscle Shoals problem and is described at the White House as working in harmony with Representative Madden of Illinois

Whether the president is in agreement with all details of Mr Madden's legislative plans affecting the project which are known to contemplate acceptance of Henry Ford's offer for its lease and purchase has not been revealed but he is authoritatively declared to favor the Illinois representative's proposal for construction of Warrior river of a power plant to replace the one recently sold to the Alabama Power company

GIRL, 17, HAD HER CHOICE OF BEING BRIDE OR CORPSE

LaPorte Ind Nov 24—A story of how a 17 year old girl had the choice of death or marriage to a 66 year old man, was told in court yesterday when Sarah Baker of Valparaiso was granted a divorce from J. C. Baker

The girl said she was married to Baker in Kentucky in December 1919 after her uncle had threatened her with death if she did not obey him and marry the man She said she learned Baker had promised her uncle $500.

COOLIDGE BELIEVES EXTENSION UNWISE

Washington, Nov. 24—Extension of the American coastwise shipping laws to the Philippines is regarded by President Coolidge as inadvisable at the present time.

COOLIDGE WILL OPPOSE CREDIT

President Against Using Alien Property to Promote Extension

Washington Nov [illegible] leaguers [illegible] and agrarian interests are maneuvering to project the United States into European affairs President Coolidge has [illegible] a wet blanket on the latest world credit extension proposal

It was stated officially at the White House [illegible] that a [illegible]

[illegible] Germany [illegible] does not [illegible] such a [illegible] has been urged at various times during the past two or three years as feasible, but is of the opinion that there is ample credit available through regular banking channels

CREDIT NOT SOUND MEYER

In his view the president accepts the judgment of Eugene Meyer Jr managing director of the war finance corporation who has opposed various suggestions that the government aid in financing exports of farm products to Europe

Mr Meyer believes that the lack of demand for American products from some European countries is due to exchange uncertainties and not to inability to obtain ordinary credit

Another scheme on which the president also looks with disfavor is that of the war finance corporation advancing $[illegible] to finance purchases of American wheat and other food [illegible] by Germany to relieve the reported food shortage in that country [illegible] relief measures if undertaken [illegible] financed by out[illegible] president [illegible]

DERANGED MAN IS CAPTURED IN HOTEL

C[illegible] Police Use Tear Bombs in Assault.

Chicago Nov 24—Guests of the Hotel Sherman scurried for cover last night while thirty policemen and detectives with tear bombs and revolvers assaulted a room on the fourth floor in which Roy Hendrickson of Cheyenne Okla had barricaded himself

Hendrickson who it is said was a member of former Governor Walton's Oklahoma secret service became deranged and fired several shots at the police before the tear bombs thrown through the transom forced him to a window The officers broke the door and took him fighting and protesting to a hospital

REPORTER IS HELD

Hendrickson had telephoned a newspaper asking that a reporter be sent to get a story about his being robbed by a police captain When the reporter came Hendrickson held the door and told him he was to stay there all night because something was going to happen

The reporter later eluded Hendrickson and called the police With three sergeants and the house detective he went to the room The demand for admission was answered by bullets through the door A concerted attack was made when reserves arrived

A bullet proof shield of steel behind which two officers were sheltered as they moved it before them was used by detectives in the capture

A search of his room revealed two revolvers and a package of cartridges

THURSDAY'S LIGHT COMES DAY AHEAD

McAlester Okla Nov 24—Housewives at Kiowa, where the municipal power plant operates only at night and when otherwise needed were notified that

"On account of Thanksgiving falling on ironing day the lights will be turned on Wednesday instead of Thursday"

The Weather

Chicago Nov 24.—Following are the weather indications for Illinois

Cloudy to partly cloudy tonight and Sunday; rising temperature.

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS

Following is the range of temperature recorded by Prof J. H. Coonradt [illegible] States weather observer

7 p. m. Friday	[illegible]
Highest Friday	[illegible]
7 a. m. Saturday	[illegible]
Noon Saturday	[illegible]
Lowest Saturday	[illegible]
Sun rises (Standard time)	[illegible]
Sun sets	[illegible]

WEEK'S WEATHER

Washington, Nov 24—Weather outlook for the week beginning Monday:

Region of the Great Lakes: Considerable cloudiness and rains or snows; mild first part considerably colder thereafter

Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri Valleys: Mild at beginning; considerably colder thereafter generally fair.

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Hunting Bootleggers of T. B. Cattle

DISEASED COWS SMUGGLED IN

$100 Reward for First Conviction in Each County.

[illegible] Bureau of Illinois county [illegible] notification that the [illegible] Association offers a reward of $100 on the first [illegible] county for violation of the national law or [illegible] the importation of cattle into Illinois.

[illegible] at many places are being smuggled [illegible] for law.

[illegible]

85 REACTORS IN 4,200 IN PIATT

FINDLAY ELEVATOR SHIPS MUCH GRAIN

80,000 Bushels Corn Handled in 20 Days.

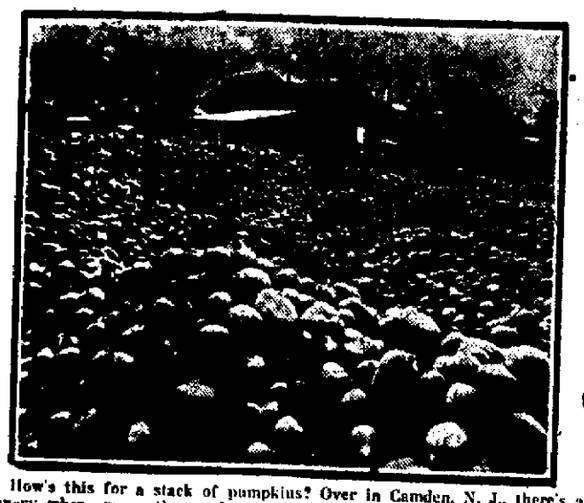
L. T. BUTTS HEADS BETHANY GRAIN CO.

Bethany, Nov. 24.—L. T. Butts was elected at the head of the Bethany Grain company at the annual meeting of that organization. Other officers named at the same time are as follows:

Secretary—William M. Mason.
Treasurer—H. T. McReynolds.
Manager—B. A. Walker.
Directors—J. S. Smith, H. M. Stewart, A. L. Gorman, B. A. Walker, Will Bennetsenry and J. B. Younger.

The last year has been a very successful one for the company.

EIGHT MILLION PIES!



How's this for a stack of pumpkins? Over in Camden, N. J., there's a cannery where many thousand pumpkins every year die a horrible death. This shows this year's death house with inmates patiently awaiting their turn to come under the knife. There's enough here for eight million pies.

EAT IT WITH TOAST NEW WHEAT SLOGAN

Big Toast Campaign Starts December 3.

[illegible] campaign to promote the more extensive use of toast by the American public and thereby increase the domestic consumption of wheat foods will get under way on Dec. 3, under the auspices of the Wheat Council of the United States.

"Eat It with Toast" is a slogan for the new campaign which is a patriotic movement to help the impoverished wheat farmer and also restore the national dietary to the proper balance, the announcement of the campaign says.

21 DIFFERENT WAYS.

"Many of its many combinations [illegible] jellies, jams, butter, [illegible] eggs and other foods will be set before the public by all of the interests concerned in the campaign. Dairy, cheese, butter, coffee, flour and milling interests combined with local individual firms will [illegible] recipes for toast to be served in 21 different ways. Radio will be used to [illegible] the use of the product.

INCREASE TEN PERCENT.

"Food advisers and interests [illegible] are cooperating in a concerted effort to promote and boost the greater consumption of wheat so that the 100,000,000 bushel surplus may be reduced, the United States, adding that [illegible] bread consumption [illegible] increased as much as ten per [illegible] consumers low toast [illegible] prepared in the most appetizing way."

HIGGINS QUITS AS MOULTRIE ADVISER

Fifth to Resign Within a Year.

A. L. Higgins, who has been farm adviser of Moultrie county ever since the Farm Bureau was organized in that county six years ago, has resigned, the resignation to take effect Feb. 1. He has not announced his plans beyond that time.

Mr. Higgins has been diligent in his service to the county he has served, and has been of great value to the farmers of his territory.

Last year Higgins was made defendant in a suit for malicious libel, filed against him by Lucas Sease of Moultrie county the basis of it being a letter written by Higgins and later read into the congressional record, reflecting some uncomplimentary things about Sease. The letter was written after Sease had appeared in Washington and testified in favor of the grain exchanges. A few days ago this case was thrown out of court by Judge Geo. A. Smith.

FIFTH TO RESIGN.

Mr. Higgins is the fifth farm adviser in Central Illinois counties within a year. The others are C. H. Belting of Shelby, E. T. Robbins of Dewitt, J. W. Watson of Piatt, and Sidney B. Smith of Macon. The present advisers in these counties are C. J. Robinson, Shelby; E. H. Walworth, Macon; O. M. Allyn, Dewitt, and S. S. Davis, Piatt. Mr. Higgins' successor has not been selected.

This Idaho Farmer Down But Not Out

Found His Rehabilitation in One Hundred Thirty Acres of Potatoes.

An interesting potato story comes from Idaho; also it is a cheering tale about a farmer who refused to be downed altogether, though misfortune pursued him.

Perry Stone, as the account goes, was entirely "broke" six months ago. He had lost his farm and his money, but not his courage or determination. When the markets were good, his crops had failed; when his crops were good the market had failed. He had to sell into debt, and his farm went to pay his obligations.

[illegible] as farming was the industry he understood best, he stuck to it, and rented a farm of 130 acres at $25 an acre. The owner agreed to wait until after harvest for his pay if Mr. Stone could offer a good guarantor.

HAD BACKING.

[illegible] the backing and went to work. He planted every available square foot of the 130 acres with potatoes of the variety that grows best in Idaho soil.

While he was waiting for the potatoes to come up he signed a contract to sell his crop at $1.25 per 100 pounds, or $1 cents a bushel, field run—that is, just as they come from the field without sorting.

WORKED LONG HOURS.

Mr. Stone worked on that potato farm from sunrise till dark, day in, day out. He harrowed and raked and kept the surface of the ground thoroughly pulverized, so that every drop of moisture from cloud or irrigation ditch was forced to do its duty. Those potatoes simply had to grow; he would have it no other way.

They did grow, and Mr. Stone for several weeks has been digging his crop. Every day approximately 2,500 bags of potatoes are dug and brought to town, each bag containing 120 pounds, or two bushels.

$445.50 AN ACRE.

They run 275 bags, or 550 bushels, to the acre, which at the price fixed means $445.50 an acre. The crop shows big, smooth potatoes, remarkably uniform in size and in the quantity to the acre. The total yield will be not less than 4,200,000 pounds. At $1.55 per 100 pounds, Mr. Stone will receive $57,915 for the crop. After deducting his rent, the cost of his seed potatoes and the expenses of planting, he will have cleared more than $40,000, when last spring he did not have one dollar.

MORE THAN MONEY IN IT.

There must be a satisfaction to Perry Stone over that money beyond what he would have felt had it come to him by inheritance or as profits on investment or by any easy method. He put so much of himself into the work—so much energy, labor, intelligence and hope, and took so much risk of piling up debt for himself, that the sense of success and triumph in the end must offset the toil and fill him with high satisfaction that could come in no other way. All Idaho is proud of that banner crop and should be proud that it has such farmers

PURE BRED BULLS FOR SHELBY CO.

Banks to Finance Dairy Project.

TO BUILD UP HERDS

Dairying Industry to Be Improved.

Shelbyville, Nov. 24—A movement was launched in Shelbyville this week to build up the dairy herds and infuse pure blood into the milk stock, when W. C. O'Haff, president of the State Dairymen's Association, and C. M. Filson, agricultural agent for the C. & E. I. Railroad company, arrived in the city and went into conference with County Agent Charles J. Robinson, and later with managers of local banks.

THE PLAN.

The proposition of the visitors and the county agent was to place a number of pure bred dairy bulls in Shelby county, the same to be financed by the banks, on a sort of partnership basis—each bank paying $50 on the price of a bull and the farmers who use the animal paying $2 per share per cow. The bulls are to be under the direction of the county agent, who places them in the several communities, where they can be available for service. The bulls will be rotated from one community to another every two or three years. Bulls of any dairy breed will be placed according to the wishes of the community in which he is placed.

These bulls are pure-bred and from dams having official records. Some breeders are sacrificing money in order that the dairymen may procure the best blood possible, and one well known breeder has consigned an animal valued at $1,000.

LOCAL BANKS GO IN.

All three of the local banks consented to cooperate in the project of bringing these bulls into Shelby county, and no other bank that was seen by Messrs. O'Hair, Filson and Robinson declined to pay for a bull. A full canvass of the banks of the county has not been made yet.

Messrs. O'Hair and Filson have visited the southern counties along the C. & E. I. and placed not less than fifty bulls during the last week.

It is readily shown that the ultimate results of bringing in these bulls will be greater producers of milk, and consequent increased dairy receipts and greater prosperity. The Allied Dairy interests of the state will assist with the follow-up campaign, which will be largely educational.

The plan is a great opportunity for the farmer having only a few dairy cows, for which he cannot afford to maintain a high-priced, pure-bred bull.

BEST RATIONS FOR WESTERN LAMBS

To Be Determined By Experiment.

Central Illinois men who are feeding western lambs will watch with interest the experiment that is being made at the University of Illinois to determine the most efficient rations for fattening them. One hundred fifty lambs divided into six lots are being used in the experiment under the direction of Animal Husbandry. The lambs were purchased on the Chicago market and represent the type of lambs ordinarily obtained when good Hampshire rams are crossed with range ewes.

STANDARD RATION.

The standard ration used in the experiment will be shelled corn and alfalfa hay with which the other rations will be compared. The most direct comparison will be soybean hay and alfalfa hay when fed with shelled corn. This comparison was also made last year and the soybean hay was found to be about four-fifths as valuable as alfalfa hay.

SOY BEAN STRAW.

An experiment to determine the value of soybean straw or hullings is included with the lamb feeding work. Three of the remaining lots will be fed on soybean straw and the other on oat straw as roughages with shelled corn as the chief part of the grain ration. Soybean oil meal, whole soybeans and linseed oil meal will be used as supplements in the lots receiving the soybean straw. The oat straw lot will receive soybean meal as a supplement.

It is planned to feed the lambs about 100 days. This will enable those in attendance at Farmers Week to see the results in the different lots.

BRUSH GROWERS SIGN CONTRACTS

500 Already Join Cooperative Movement.

Mattoon, Nov. 24—The brush growers at their meeting in the Association of Commerce rooms Wednesday night instructed their executive committee to have the sales contract they had decided upon printed and mailed as extensively as possible to growers in Central Illinois. In order to facilitate this, $195 in cash was volunteered and laid on the chairman's table as advance money on individual memberships.

There already is a list of 500 names signed by growers, and it is expected each of these will be a solicitor for other memberships. The next meeting will be held in the same place Wednesday night, December 5, at 7:30 o'clock.

50 PERCENT SOLD.

Conjecture as to the probable amount of brush that has been sold in this district to date was about fifty per cent. There was little discussion as to the marketing of the remainder. Prevailing sales quoted showed prices paid the past two weeks from $225 to $275.

WILL SIGN UP.

About sixty were present at the meeting Wednesday night, and it was explained that those who have composed the large gatherings the past two months now consider their work of organizing completed, expecting now to sign the sales agreements and support the Central Illinois Broomcorn Growers' Association in its more perfected development and operation.

Brisk Movement Around Arcola

Arcola, Nov. 24 — The last seven days has been the busiest week of the season in the broomcorn trade. Broomcorn growers no longer experience any difficulty in getting a price of $250 per ton for their crop and a few of them have received as much as $275 per ton.

It is no longer a question of quality. It has become a question of inducing the grower to name a price for his brush. A dozen of more farmers in the vicinity of Arcola have been offered better than $250 per ton for their brush and refused to sell. They have fixed $300 as the price and are holding out for it. Here is a list of growers of Arcola and the vicinity who have sold their crops during the past week. Not a complete one however:

Harry Swisher, $250; Gus Homman, $275;; Robert Helm $250; W. Starwalt $250; Charles Gregoty $250; Frank Key $250; Bert Gordon $250; Oscar Key $250; Charles Pfeifer $255; Will Fore $250; Claude Campbell; P. J. Gleason, $250; Charles Jenkins $250; Will Edgar $250; Roy Harshbarger $250.

RUINED IN OKLAHOMA.

Reports from the southwest are that rain and wet weather continue there and that much of the late broomcorn crop is totally ruined and worthless, whereas it had been supposed that there would be some damaged corn for sale there. Prices for some of the earliest Oklahoma broomcorn, which was of good quality and fine green color, were as high as $320 per ton.

REAL CHINCH BUG DAMAGE SHOWS UP

Much Corn Found Light, Chaffy And Rotten.

Taylorville, Nov. 24—The real damage caused by the chinch bugs last summer is now coming to light in great areas of light, chaffy and even rotten corn. Weakened by the ravages of the bugs, the corn could not resist the winds, and much of it is down and so badly harmed by rot that it is not worth garnering.

Roy Miller, a farmer four miles north of this city, who has a very poor and disappointing crop, says that had it not been for the chinch bugs his yield would have been sixty bushels to the acre. A number of farmers in this vicinity are not shucking their corn, but turning in the stock to clean it up, thus saving the cost of shucking.

USING DRIERS.

Clinton, Nov. 24—Dewitt county corn is moving to the elevators, where it is all passing through driers. The majority of the corn this year is quite heavy with moisture, and while as yet a very small percentage is damp to the stage of mildew, it will all pass through driers.

The Illinois Central expects to handle from 800 to 1,000 cars per month on the local division during the season.

POULTRY SHORT COURSE AT ARCOLA

Classes At High School for Two Weeks.

Arcola, Nov. 24—A poultry short course will be a feature of the Arcola Poultry show, which this winter is to be held during the last week in January. It has been arranged to bring a poultry expert to this city for two weeks, during which he will conduct morning and afternoon sessions at the high school building to which any resident of the community interested in poultry is invited and may take advantage of the course of instruction without charge.

WHEN SHOULD ALFALFA BE CUT?

The College of Agriculture of the University of Wisconsin will have an official display at the International Grain and Hay Show which will be held in connection with the International Live Stock Exposition in Chicago, Dec. 1-8, and will vividly depict the results of experiments which will answer the question of the proper stage at which alfalfa should be cut.

The Wisconsin education exhibit will adjoin that of Kansas and deal with the same general subject. Both agricultural experiment stations have found that the commonly excepted practices of cutting alfalfa can be improved upon. The displays at Chicago will show the effects of cutting alfalfa for hay at different periods during its growth, and should prove of great interest and value to the large number of visitors who are expected to view the varied features of the International Live Stock Exposition in Chicago during the first week of December.

Notes From Piatt

FARM MECHANICS BUILDING

Mr. W. G. Wagner, the Smith-Hughes agricultural teacher at DeLand, has started his boys on a project of much practical value. Realizing the need of a suitable building for work in farm mechanics, Wagner and his pupils set out to build it. Within a few weeks this will be completed, and the school not only will have a needed building, but the boys of Goose Creek township also will have some practical experience.

MANCHU BEANS

Wm. Farthing of Blue Ridge township grew twenty bushels of Manchuria per acre this year, for which he refuses $2 per bushel. This is just another example where good seed and careful farming produce results.

EDUCATIONAL WEEK OBSERVED IN OCONEE

Oconee, Nov. 24—Educational week was celebrated at the Sacred Heart school by an appropriate program Wednesday afternoon. After the reading of an essay on the "American Constitution," by Paul Hebenshaet, and on the Catholic school by Magdalen Iiels and the recital of the "Nation's Songs," also the salute of our flag in charge of the Ursuline Sisters.

Mrs. Lou Welch, Prof. H. H. Goad and Fr. Wubbe spoke briefly on health education and teachers, respectively. Those attending were full of praise for such an instructive hour.

The Rural-Reading circle meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Ben P. Allen Friday evening.

JITNEY SUPPER.

The Young Ladies' Sodality of the Sacred Heart church will give a Jitney supper Thanksgiving evening Thursday, Nov. 28 and hold a Christmas display sale. The menu provides for a pleasing choice of dishes and a dish of mirth will be in evidence in the concluding Comic Movies. The Ladies' will assist in the cooking.

PAY LAST TRIBUTE TO MRS. GREGORY

Throng of Friends At Moweaqua Funeral.

Moweaqua, Nov. 24.—A throng of sorrowing relatives and friends attended the funeral of Mrs. Richard Gregory, held at the Baptist church Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. G. E. Milford of Hillsboro, a former pastor, officiated, assisted by Rev. J. H. Coxad.

The only music was instrumental, rendered by Mrs. Glenn Gregory before the service and following. The flowers were in charge of Miss Rosella Thomas, Miss Lois Gregory, Miss Helen Day, Miss Aileen Hudson, Mrs. Clayton Humphrey and Mrs. Roy Cutler.

The casket bearers were nephews of the deceased—Ray Gregory, Seth Marshall, Morton Gregory, Delmar Parks, Ed Gregory and James Marshall.

Those attending the funeral from out-of-town were Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Gregory and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Gregory and daughter, the trustees of the First Baptist church, the force from the First National bank, Mr. and Mrs. Will Post, Mr. and Mrs. John Klump, Mrs. Everett Van Gundy, Mrs. E. G. Hedges and Mrs. Curtis Light of Decatur; Clark Easley from Rolla, Mo.; Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Lawson and daughter of Sullivan; Mr. and Mrs. Morton Gregory and Mr. Henderson of Herrick, Tom Gregory of Cowden, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Marshall of Warrensburg and Mr. and Mrs. James Marshall of Stonington.

The floral offerings were so numerous and so beautiful, that they deserve especial mention—a truck was necessary to convey them to the cemetery. Interment was at the North cemetery.

TEACHERS VISIT SCHOOLS.

On Friday Miss Larimere, Miss Visimo, Miss Retta Park, Miss Annie Plain, Miss Marie Moss, Miss Lowella Parton, Miss Rose Kreinline, Miss Ruth Brown and Orin Smith visited Decatur schools.

Prof. J. F. Hickman and C. R. Williams motored to Urbana to the high school teachers' conference.

JUNIOR PLAY.

The junior play, "Deacon Dubbs" was a scream. Everybody enjoyed an evening of laughter. The parts were well done by Mural Giles, Harold Snyder, Lynn Mikle, Robert Farney, Verne Humphrey, Rebecca Ahl, Aileen Beck, Gertrude Humphrey, Louise Howard and Lorine Ribelin. Miss Visimo's good coaching was apparent.

There was such a demand for seats that the play was repeated Friday night to a good house.

The High School band made its debut and received a warm reception.

C. R. Williams has worked untiringly over this new organization and has been ably assisted by Prof. J. F. Hickman and Rev. E. L. Tobie, who played with the young people. John Deam, too, has been a help with his saxophone, coming several miles three times a week to practice with the band.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Waters and Mrs. Bert Hart attended the funeral of Mrs. Chapman near Roby, Thursday.

Mrs. Eliza McGee spent the week with her daughter, Mrs. Granville Slatter, in Taylorville. Mrs. Slatter is threatened with appendicitis.

CHURCH NEWS.

On Sunday morning regular services will be held in all the churches.

Rev. J. M. Cross has returned from Carmi, where he preached for sixteen days and had a most successful meeting with thirty-three conversions. A sore throat brought him home earlier than anticipated and he will occupy his pulpit Sunday morning.

At the Presbyterian church Rev. F. E. Birkitt's morning theme will be "America's Debt to Christ." The Christian Endeavor will be led by Miss Anna Walbach and the subject will be "Thanksgiving."

At the Baptist church Rev. J. H. Coxad will preach one "Kingdom Parables."

At the Methodist church, Rev. Mr. Tobie will preach on "Good Reading." Meredith Ayars leads Epworth League and the subject will be "Answering Claims of Christ."

UNION MEETING.

Sunday night, a union meeting will be held at the Methodist church. This has been Education week and the speaker will be some well known educator secured by Prof. Hickman while in Urbana. Everybody invited.

Miss Helen Bridgewater has been brought home from Decatur and Macon County hospital and is making a good recovery from her recent operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Duffy and Mr. and Mrs. Benton Burwell of Decatur were dinner guests in the Jordan-Longenbaugh home Thursday evening.

Mr. Shaler, with six children from the Huddleston Home at Irvington, Ill., gave an interesting program at Little Flock church last Sunday.

The Father and Son banquet at Locust Grove Thursday evening was well attended. Talks were given by several men and a reading by Ellis Summons.

25 EXAMINED AT ARCOLA CLINIC

Arcola, Nov. 24—Dr. G. T. Palmer of Springfield examined twenty-five at the clinic held in the basement of the Arcola public library building. Perhaps as many more were turned away because of inability to accommodate them.

The following Douglas county physicians and nurses were in attendance: Dr. W. S. Blaine and Dr. J. O. Cletcher, Tuscola, Dr. J. J. Hopkins, of Hindsboro; Drs. M. H. Fortney, O. F. Barnes, J. H. McLane and E. S. Allen, of this city. Miss Jessie Wilson, Douglas county nurse and Miss Simmonds, Tuscola school nurse, Tuscola; Miss Helen Ellis, Kankakee county nurse, Kankakee; Mrs. W. R. Dimond, R. N., Arcola.

Others who assisted were: Mrs. Lucien Rugh, Mrs. John Hogan, Mrs. Truby Rugh, Mrs. George Sheffer, Mrs. John McCarty, Miss Kate Goggin.

ED HOOD MARRIES.

News has been received here of the marriage of Ed Hood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Hood, of this community, and Miss Gladys Winsett, of Evansville, Ind. The ceremony was performed Friday evening, Nov. 16, at the Methodist parsonage in Evansville by Rev. Mr. Craig.

Mr. Hood is a graduate of the Arcola high school and of the Eastern Illinois Teachers' College at Charleston. For the last four years he has been instructor in manual training at Evansville. His wife is a trained nurse.

CIVICS.

The civics department of the Arcola Woman's club held its regular meeting Wednesday afternoon. A feature was a debate, "Resolved, That the League of Nations is a Useful Organization," by members of the history class of the Arcola high school. The speakers for the affirmative were David Hull, Pauline Pickard and Pauline Pfeifer. For the negative, Francis Conners, Otto Campbell and Roy Brokke. The negative side was awarded the decision.

An address was made on "The city Beautiful," by Editor Frank Collins of the Arcola Record-Herald.

Sam Davidson, well known farmer, this week moved to the Sam Gee six miles north of the city, where he will farm during the coming year.

ARM BROKEN.

A letter to friends here brings news of an accident which recently befell Mrs. Maude Tanguey at her home in New York City as a result of which she has a broken arm sustained in a fall. Mrs. Tanguey is, perhaps, better known to Arcolans by her maiden name, Miss Maude Hickman.

Alderman Bossman, chairman of the street lighting committee, has brought about the adornment of the ornamental light poles along Main street. Formerly they were painted a dingy black. Now they display brilliant colors, particularly a brilliant shade of orange used as a trimming for the white pole. The improvement is very noticeable.

CATFISH AND RABBIT.

The mild weather and warm sunshine of the last several days has caused Arcola sportsmen to combine fishing with hunting. Some of them have gone down to the Okaw river with poles and lines; baited their hooks, set the poles and then, taking their shotguns, tramped around the timber in search of rabbits and quail between bites. They say it works fairly well and affords them a catfish and rabbit diet.

MT. ZION TALENT PLAY AT LAKE CITY

Lake City, Nov. 24—A play entitled the "Koo Koo Kitchen Band" will be presented at Ault's hall, Monday night, Nov. 26, by Mt. Zion talent. Proceeds are for the benefit of the Rebekah lodge.

Mrs. Ruth Gifford and daughter Melissa were guests of William Griswold and family near Cisco Sunday.

T. A. Dickson and Butler Todd were business visitors at Neoga Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Champion attended the supper at Lovington Thursday night.

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton

The Tattered Man.

"Was it a haystack?" asked a fat man in a green suit

This was the next riddle the Riddle Lady asked the people in Riddle Land, where the Twins were visiting. Humpty Dumpty told them to pay close attention.

"One misty, moisty morning
When cloudy was the weather
I chanced to meet an old man
Who wouldn't hold together
He was very shaky,
He was very thin.
How do you do and how do you do
I said to him again.

"He nodded very weakly
He really looked dejected.
I went quite close and [illegible]
hand.
'Twas straw as I expected.
His coat was very ragged.
His hat was very torn.
And all the other clothes he wore
Had certainly been worn.

"The gun upon his shoulder
He held with auth devotion.
Was nothing but a broomstick
I had a funny notion,
The pipe between his straw lips
'Twas just a cob of corn
Dropped down upon his tattered
coat,
In attitude forlorn.

"He stood right in a cornfield.
Where rows of corn were growing.
All up and down the tiny sprouts
of tender green were showing.
Just then I heard a cawing.
I knew it, goodness knows.
And right [illegible] heads appeared
A [illegible]

"But [illegible]
Did call to the [illegible]
My [illegible] and tattered friend a straw
Whose name I couldn't mention
Then they departed quickly
They departed fast
'He, he! [illegible] Man
I have scared them all at last!'
'Is that all?' asked Nancy
'Isn't it enough?' asked the Riddle Lady. 'Mr. goodness [illegible] took me [illegible] week and seven days to write it [illegible] anybody know who the straw man was?'

'Was it a haystack?' asked a fat man in a green suit.

'No!' The Riddle Lady shook her head.

'Was it a mattress?' asked a thin lady in a red satin dress. 'They are made of straw sometimes.'

'Goodness, no! How could a mattress smoke a pipe?' said the Riddle Lady.

'I know! I know!' cried Nick. 'It was a scare-crow.'

'Right!' said the Riddle Lady.

And Nick got the prize out of the prize bag. I forget what it was but I think it was a bear-skin rug. I wonder what the fat man or the thin lady would have chosen had they won it?

(To Be Continued)

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TEST FOR OIL AT VANDALIA

Fifty-five Hundred Acres Land Leased.

[illegible] will soon be made in Pike township. Fifty-five thousand acres of land have been leased by the East Texas Oil and Development company, assisted by John Easter. A drilling [illegible] was moved in last week and is being set on the Hayter farm just east of the residence, and drilling will be begun as soon as possible. Dean Blankenship of Patoka is president of the company and Ben Livesay, of Patoka, is one of the directors.

[illegible] G. Wills and daughter, Mrs. Rue Southwell, went to Effingham Thursday to be with Mrs. Wills during the operation which was performed Friday morning. It is reported that the operation [illegible]

The funeral [illegible] Friday owing to the death of Austin Whitten which occurred at his home in Ramsey Thursday. He leaves his wife and little child.

Mrs. Henry Wolverton spent Friday with her daughter in Ramsey.

John Cougan will enter upon the duties at the Farmers and Merchants bank to take the place of Miss Margaret Lipple, who she is confined to her home with a broken arm, the result of an automobile accident.

Bobbie Shafer, aged [illegible] years, had his tonsils removed at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shafer, this week.

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GRACE M. E. CHURCH.

The program [illegible] at Grace M. E. [illegible] was carried out as planned and 400 men and boys were present. [illegible] was considered [illegible] spoke on "The Captain" [illegible] the pastor [illegible] the First Mate [illegible] Father [illegible] and the [illegible] by Welton Petty [illegible] Everett Wittman [illegible] steward [illegible] of some of his [illegible] a storm tossed ship. There was special [illegible] orchestra during the evening.

SECOND U. B.

[illegible] Fathers and Sons [illegible] H. [illegible] Soltzer [illegible] companionship of Father [illegible] the Christian Endeavor [illegible] Fred R. [illegible] discussed "Comrades [illegible] and Rev. [illegible] W. Treadfoot talked of Comrades [illegible] Community Work." Virgil [illegible] for the boys.

CENTRAL CHURCH.

[illegible] for several years [illegible] of men at the University [illegible] the main speaker [illegible] at Central Church of [illegible] manner in which fathers [illegible] work with their [illegible] athletic field. Men and boys [illegible] 150 heard him. Rev. John L. [illegible] gave a reading and there was a Boy Scout demonstration. Special music was provided.

ST. PAUL'S METHODIST.

Judge McCoy was the speaker at St. Paul's Methodist church and he called attention to the great advantages the sons of today have over their fathers in education and living and pointed out that these advantages should be used. The St. Paul's orchestra furnished the music. Everett Young, Daisy Pennington and Harry Kellams gave readings and Clark Gourley gave a saxaphone solo, and there were piano numbers. Sixty-four were present.

ULLRICH SCHOOL SELLS OUT EARLY

Expect to Clear Most of $125 Taken in.

Everything was sold out early in the evening at the Ullrich school Mothers' club bazaar Friday evening. About $125 was taken in and almost all of this is clear. It will go into the club fund and it has not been decided yet as to what it will be used for.

A jitney supper was served at 5:30 and after the supper there were the usual bazaar booths, candy, popcorn, fancy work, fish pond, etc. The Y. M. C. A. furnished a moving picture which was a great drawing card.

GASTMAN MOTHERS PLAN FOR BAZAAR

Plans for the bazaar, which the Mothers' club of the E. A. Gastman school will hold in the Farm Bureau building Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 5 and 6, were made in the regular monthly meeting of the club Friday afternoon. Mrs. Grover Minney has general charge of the affair. Mrs. John McEvoy is chairman of the car committee, Mrs. Elmer Frantzinger of the fancy work and Mrs. Minney of the food. All mothers are urged to send their articles to the school if at all possible and the fancy work should be in by Tuesday afternoon at the latest. Those who are not able to send their things are asked to write notes to the teachers and send them to school by the children in order that members of the car committee can call.

Miss Dorothy Chesebro of the public library talked to the mothers on good books to buy for children's Christmas presents and she showed a number of books that the kiddies especially enjoy. Pupils of Mrs. Christy's first grade sang a group of songs and Mrs. Roney's second grade presented a little play on good English which they themselves wrote. Helen Louise Kepler, a former pupil at the Gastman school, played two piano numbers.

The committee for the annual Christmas party was appointed as follows: W. W. Doane, Mrs. Bauman, Mrs. Hale, Mrs. Clyde Young, Mrs. Moreland, Mrs. Schoby and Miss Syfert.

FINDS FINE PLACE TO VIEW LAKE

Point North of Sand Creek Bridge Best, Says Nelson.

"The finest point of view from which to see Lake Decatur," says M. Nelson, president of the Motor club, "is just a bit north of the Sand creek bridge, on the old Maffit bridge road. I discovered it quite by accident. I had not before been aware that there was any such viewpoint. From this point the dam and four bridges can be seen—the Lost bridge, the County bridge, the Cowford bridge and the top of the Spangler bridge. A greater sweep of Lake Decatur comes into the eye than from any other place that I know. I advise motorists to include this in their trips about Decatur."

SMALL'S THANKSGIVING DAY PROCLAMATION

By the governor of Illinois,
A proclamation:
To the people of Illinois, Greeting:

Whereas, A long established American custom calls upon us for the designation of a day on which our people may lay aside their usual pursuits and vocations and gather at their firesides and in places of public worship, for the purpose of giving thanks for the blessings of the year. For three centuries the American people have thus given expression to their gratitude for bountiful harvests, for free and enlightened government, for general education, for peace and national safety, and for the prosperity which has attended us throughout the years. A proper observance of the day offers opportunity for family reunions, home-comings, the cementing of home and family ties. It is essentially America's great home day.

THURSDAY, NOV. 29.

Now, therefore, I, Len. Small, governor of Illinois, by virtue of the authority in me vested by the statutes, and in harmony with the proclamation of the president of the United States, do hereby proclaim and appoint Thursday the 29th day of November of this, to be observed in the state of Illinois as a day of thanksgiving and call upon the people of the state to assemble in their homes and in the churches on that day, to offer up thanks to the author of all good for the many blessings which have been showered upon us in the state and nation during the present year.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of State to be affixed.

Done at the capitol in the city of Springfield this twenty-third day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three and of the state of Illinois the one hundred and sixth.

LEN. SMALL.

SIX NEW CITIZENS RECEIVE WELCOME

Mrs. Augusta Rauschek Is First Woman.

ATTY. MONROE SPEAKS

Judge Baldwin Presents Certificates.

With largest attendance and the best interest ever shown at a similar citizenship meeting six new citizens of the United States were presented their papers by Judge James S. Baldwin at the high school auditorium Friday night after which Ralph J. Monroe made a charming address of welcome to the fellowship of the American nation, talking as one citizen to another about what it means to be a member of the American commonwealth.

Mrs. Augusta Rauschek, the first woman to take out citizenship papers in Decatur, was among those who were handed their certificates by Judge Baldwin. Niels Swendson, John Rothary, Frederick Pouley and Gottlieb Oak were the men in the group.

GIVE PART OF PAGEANT.

The serious part of the program was lightened by the presentation of four scenes from the recent Roach school pageant, scenes representing Scotland, Japan, Ireland and Holland.

In his short talk which preceded his introduction of Ralph Monroe for the address of welcome Judge Baldwin told the new citizens that one man's rights extend only to where another man's rights begin and that if this is kept in mind much of the trouble which we have as citizens would be avoided.

Mr. Monroe's talk dealt with the relation of the individual to community and of the difference between liberty and license. Liberty, he explained, is the right of the whole people to formulate the kind of government and the laws under which we all are to live.

After the ceremonies those present in the auditorium went up to shake hands with the new citizens.

SISTER A CITIZEN.

Johanna Cosch, known at St. Mary's hospital, where she is a nurse, as Sister Sabiana was also granted citizenship but was unable to be present at the ceremonial at the high school.

ST. JOHANNES HELPS BUILDING FUND

Subscribes $3,000 Before Canvass Starts.

Members of St. Johannes' Lutheran church, who are aiding in the canvass for the building fund of the Missouri synod of the Lutheran church, held their final meeting Friday evening before the campaign which will be started Sunday. At this meeting more than $3,000 was pledged by the canvassers and members of their families. One hundred and twenty-nine pledge cards were turned in at the close of an enthusiastic meeting. This was a larger amount than was expected and the workers now are confident that they can reach their quota.

An attempt is being made throughout the Missouri synod to raise $3,-850,000 in the next two years to construct an entirely new college at St. Louis to replace the present buildings and for new buildings and additions at other institutions maintained by the synod.

125 WORKERS

About 125 workers will visit the homes of members of St. Johannes' and St. Paul's Lutheran churches Sunday afternoon to secure pledges to the fund. All workers of St. Johannes' church will march in a body to the church Sunday morning.

Women of St. Johannes' church served supper to the workers Friday evening and talks were made by Rev. William Heyne and Rev. Robert Heyne, pastors of the church. St. Paul's church held its final meeting last Monday evening.

Church Notes

Nominate Officers.

The nominating committee for 1924 officers of the Ladies' society of the Congregational church was named at a called meeting of the society Friday afternoon. The committee is as follows: Miss Louise Bear, Mrs. J. Foster Waltz, Mrs. C. C. Caldwell, Mrs. A. S. Kazmark, and Mrs. E. F. Stoddard.

Plan Bazaar.

During the business session of the Ladies' Aid of the First Presbyterian church Friday afternoon, plans were made for the bazaar which the society will hold in the Farm Bureau, Dec. 11.

Mrs. J. W. Miller presided and after the business, Mrs. J. W. Stroup had charge of the program. Mrs. A. H. Mills told of the historical books of the Bible, Mrs. A. P. Overman told the story of Esther and Mrs. Louis Lanum that of Ruth. Several piano selections by Miss Jefferson of the Decatur Musical college were enjoyed. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Jennie Smith and Mrs. Waggoner.

Some of the women met in the morning and finished tacking three comforts.

To Hear Edwin Adamson.

Dr. E. T. Evans' Bible class of the First Methodist church will be given a treat Sunday morning when Edwin Adamson will lecture on "The Bible in Literature." This will be during the Sunday school hour from 9:30 to 10:30 in the young people's department. Everyone is welcome.

Dr. Taylor to Speak.

There will be a special service for the Men's Bible Class in Westminster Presbyterian Sunday school Sunday morning at 9:30. Dr. A. R. Taylor will talk on the subject "Conscience and the Heart."

JUNIOR JONES HAS FRACTURED SKULL

Run Over By Automobile in Water Street Friday.

The injury to Junior Jones, aged five, of 312½ North Water street who was struck by an automobile Friday noon on Water street, was found to be more serious than was at first thought. After being given first aid at his home he was taken in Moran & Sons' ambulance to the Decatur and Macon County hospital, where examination developed the fact that his skull had been fractured. He rested well Friday night and there are hopes of his recovery.

DEATHS.

LYMAN RAINEY.

The funeral of Lyman Rainey will be held at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Third United Brethren church.

Community Chest Subscriptions

John Meitenberger	$1.00	Charles Mundy	1.00
Fred Helms	1.00	Earl McCoal	1.00
Mr. Scholenstock	.50	Frank Huddleston	.50
Donald Lee	1.00	Mrs. Kuster	.05
C. E. Logue	.50	Claudia Johnson	.10
E. Lee	.50	C. J. Motley	.25
Chas. Kurtz	1.00	Mrs. Roy Williams	.50
Jess Chaple	1.00	Edna Bracken	.50
J. Durbin	1.00	J. W. Fletcher	.50
Al Womacher	1.00	W. E. Davis	2.00
Pearl Bin	.50	W. Willoughby	2.00
H. Atkins	.50	M. Z. Kellog	5.00
H. Sturgiss	.50	T. W. Fletcher and son	5.00
D. Hooker	.50	Mrs. Barbara Auman	5.00
Stanley Sendalock	2.00	Mrs. Mary J. Heil	5.00
J. D. Lemets	.50	Mrs. Margaret Pope	5.00
Henry Michel	1.00	Edna Braken	1.00
F. Jamison	1.00	Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Quinlan	25.00
C. Dombroski	.50	Emma F. Miller	25.00
Earl Brewer	.25	Morris & Co.	25.00
Jack O'Donnel	.75	Armour & Co.	25.00
Walter Quick	1.00	A Friend	15.00
J. Logue	1.00	True Oil Co.	50.00
Julius Schultz	1.00	Mrs. R. F. Saint	1.00
M. A. Lee	1.00	A. G. Gipson	4.00
Del Pake	1.00	Mrs. J. D. May	1.00
R. P. Waite	1.00	Mrs. G. W. Pensinger	2.00
John Kerski	1.00	Marie Meyer	1.00
William Known	1.00	Mrs. J. E. Bowman	1.00
John Clark	1.00	Mrs. W. E. Long	1.00
B. Huddleston	.50	Colfas	.50
William Opulka	.50	Grace Patten Conant	10.00
Frank Burkhardt	1.00	Nell F. Sims	5.00
A. Ingles	.50	Lucille Bragg	4.00
H. L. Martin	1.00	Mrs. Stella Crow	3.00
George Johnson	1.00	Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Moma	25.00
H. T. Thomas	1.00	Mrs. Fanny M. Pemble	1.00
Lewis Grabaski	1.00	Mrs. G. W. Patton	2.00
William Mooney	1.00	Robert F. Hill	5.00
Fred Opulka	1.00	Friend	10.00
Fred West	1.00	Friend	1.00
John Stewart	.50	Mrs. Henry	2.00
Esau Dean	.50	Friend	1.00
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H. S. Overman	.50	A. R. Mann	2.50
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Effa E. Burton	1.00	G. E. States	35.00
E. A. Mayes	1.00	Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Perry	5.00
Chris Danner	.50	Helen Rivard	2.00
H. L. Peltz	1.00	Helen Hershey	5.00
Robert Muzzy	1.00	Carl St. George	3.00
Cleve Foltz	1.00	Ray Myers	1.00
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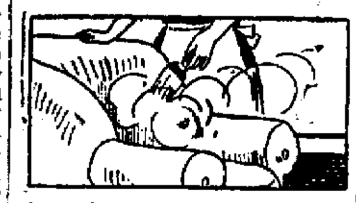
R. Fitzpatrick	1.00	J. Narrington	1.00
Frank McCoal	1.00	Miss L. C. Race	5.00
George Gebhart	.50	Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Gastman	2.00
Carl Pelz	1.00	A Friend	10.00
R. Williams	.50	A Friend	.25
Roy Augustine	.50	Lincoln Square Theater	50.00
Mose Nill	1.00	Colonel M. Turner	1.00
William Gerling	1.00	Friend	3.00
Sam McCauley	1.00		
Burtis Beard	1.00		
C. A. Trailer	.50		

Household Suggestions

Clean Upholstery.

Upholstery may be dry-cleaned with a mixture of starch and whiting sift-



ed together and applied thickly over it. Let stand for a day, then brush off. If there are any grimy spaces wet them with alcohol before putting on the powder.

Dusty Furs.

Furs worn in dusty wind or in a

smoky atmosphere need to be well combed, brushed against the grain and aired quickly.

Social News

The D. G. U. club had two meetings this week, one Wednesday afternoon and the other all day Thursday. The first one was held in the home of Mrs. William Stoddard, 664 West Grand avenue and eleven members were present. Mrs. William Hart won the club prize and Mrs. Clint Bargis the contest prize. The afternoon was spent in needlework and the hostess served a two course luncheon.

Mrs. J. R. Watson, 626 West King, was hostess to the Thursday meeting. This was the Thanksgiving dinner which the club has annually. The home was decorated with cornstalks, pumpkins and fruit, carrying out the Thanksgiving season idea. Three guests were present, Miss Maude Bratten and Mrs. Ida Harronff of Kansas state and Mrs. A. Randall of Decatur. In the afternoon each member was asked to take some part in the program and in addition Mrs. George Eller gave several readings. The contest prizes were won by Mrs. George Shaffer and Mrs. Harry Volberg. Sewing and music were enjoyed. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Sam Stoddard, 742 West Marietta.

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The members of the Thursday Afternoon card club were entertained in the home of Mrs. E. J. Anderson, 1084 East Wood street, with three tables of cards at play. First prize was won by Mrs. Hunt, second prize was won by Mrs. L. S. Draper, and consolation prize went to Mrs. Russ Anderson.

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The W. B. A. of Maccabees, No. 173 held a card party Thursday evening in the G. A. R. hall, with prizes being won by, first, Mrs. L. W. Schultz; second, Mrs. E. P. Johnson, and consolation, Mrs. W. L. Ullrich. In the men's card play high score was won by L. S. Draper, E. P. Johnson, and E. J. Anderson.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

Girls of the Millikin University Y. W. C. A. and the city girls held a joint meeting Wednesday evening. The Millikin girls will conduct members of the Y. W. C. A. on an inspection tour of the university.

On Wednesday, Dec. 12 a play, "Colored Glasses," will be given. The first problem which the two clubs intend to study will be taken up at about this time. They will study child welfare and child labor problems.

The clubs of the Y. W. C. A. will give the customary children's party this Christmas, decided the members of the clubs in the Federation meeting held Thursday night. The party will be given Dec. 21 at the Y. W. C. A. building.

It was also decided to have the regular Christmas carol singing on Christmas Eve. Officers for the coming year were nominated and will be voted upon at the next business meeting.

A federation supper will be given for the club Saturday, Dec. 1.

MAN'S PLEATED SHIRT HAS ENTERED WOMAN'S REALM

It happens every once in a while that women's fashions, tired of frills, adapt some part of men's costume to their own use. That's what has happened to the pleated shirt bosom, as the sketches show.

While it was part of man's attire it hid shyly behind a [illegible]. Now it shows its outline brazenly [illegible] shirt front—nothing less.

The frocks are tailored ones [illegible] able to charmeen, fine twill or jersey. The blouse is very smart, that would put the finishing fashion touch to a new tailored suit.

[illegible] the [illegible] at the shoe is [illegible] gold.

New York, Nov. 24.—In the latest [illegible] blouse there is a conspicuous absence of belt, or even of defined waistline [illegible] luxurious [illegible] the lines [illegible] blouse are those of a middy.

New York, Nov. [illegible] Bead bags [illegible] these bags are [illegible]

[illegible]

Sister Mary's KITCHEN

By Sister Mary.

APPLE RECIPES.

This year apples are so plentiful and perfect that it behooves every housewife to use them as often as possible.

Although apple pie has been called "the great American dessert" it palls if used as a steady diet.

These apple puddings have more food value than apple pie and are delicious and novel.

APPLE MERINGUE PUDDING

One and three-fourths cups stewed apples, ½ teaspoon nutmeg, ½ teaspoon cinnamon, 1 tablespoon orange juice, 1 teaspoon grated orange rind, 1 tablespoon butter, 1 egg, ½ cup sugar, 1 teaspoon cornstarch, 2 tablespoons powdered sugar, few grains salt.

It will take three to five apples, depending on the size, to make the required amount of sauce. Stew in as little water as possible to prevent burning. When tender rub through a sieve. While hot add spices, butter, grated rind and juice of orange, salt and well-beaten yolk of egg. Beat well. Mix sugar and cornstarch and gradually beat into mixture. Turn into a buttered baking dish and bake, covered, for 20 minutes in a moderate oven. Beat white of egg until stiff and dry with one tablespoon cold water. Beat in sugar and spread over pudding. Return to the oven to brown the meringue.

BLUSHING APPLES.

Six apples, 6 tablespoons sugar, 3 teaspoons butter, ¼ pound tiny red cinnamon candies, 1 cup boiling water.

Select red apples and pare, leaving a band of skin around the center. Remove core. Arrange in a baking pan and fill cavities with butter and sugar. Add water and drop in the candies, sprinkling them over the apples as much as possible. Bake in a slow oven, basting frequently with the juice in the pan. When tender remove from oven, arrange on individual plates for serving and pour over syrup [illegible] apples. Serve [illegible]

BROTHER JONATHAN

Six apples, 1 cup flour, [illegible] baking powder, 2 tablespoons [illegible] teaspoon salt, water, [illegible] cinnamon, [illegible]

[illegible]

TASSEL EAR RINGS OF MANY COLORS

London, Nov. 24.—The [illegible] ear rings with which some of the [illegible] are headdresses [illegible] A woman [illegible] white frock [illegible] bright blue [illegible]

New York, Nov. 24.—[illegible] only adorn themselves with [illegible] silver but also with Persian [illegible] paisley colors and patterns. [illegible] vamp is in brocade, of a Persian [illegible]

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MRS. COFFMAN ILL SEVEN YEARS

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Sidell, Ill.—"I was a nervous wreck. I was suffering from a pain in my left side, which was almost unbearable, and I could not even let the bed clothing touch my body at night. I had been sick for seven years but not so bad until the last eighteen months, and had become so run down that I cared for nobody, and would rather have died than live. I couldn't do my work without help, and the doctors told me that an operation was all there was left. I would not consent to that, so my husband brought me a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and begged me to take it. I have taken fourteen bottles of it and I feel ten years younger. Life is full of hope. I do all my housework and had a large garden this year. I never will be without the Vegetable Compound in the house, and when my two little girls reach womanhood I intend to teach them to take it. I am never too busy to tell some suffering sister of my help, and you can use my name and letter to spread the good news of Lydia E. Pinkham's medicines."—Mrs. Ida M. Coffman, R. R. 2, Sidell, Ill.

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Two salesrooms are now being constructed that, because they adjoin the Bus station on the north (cor. State and William) will have the first and last chance to sell these Bus passengers those articles they came down town to purchase.

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"My trouble began by little red spots appearing under the skin and then broke out with pimples. The pimples were large and red and later festered. My face was almost covered with them, and they itched and burned causing me to scratch. At night I could not sleep well. The trouble lasted about a year.

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For a Better Decatur

THE REVIEW'S PROGRAM.

Roads.
Parks and Play Grounds.
A Patent Pavement.
Railroad Problems.
Better School Facilities.

BASIC COLLEGE EDUCATION

[illegible] Whoever is [illegible] of higher [illegible] established by the [illegible] Northwestern [illegible] devoted to [illegible] courses [illegible] carried to per- [illegible]

It is [illegible]

THE PRINCE OF THE HARD HAT.

[illegible] Prince of Wales [illegible] hung limply from the coat-tail pocket and hand [illegible] hung similarly from the pocket of a young man [illegible] the elevated [illegible] Prince. [illegible] Prince of Wales has but to let his [illegible] hang long and limply from the coat-tail pocket and hand [illegible] hung similarly from the pocket of a young man [illegible] the elevated [illegible]

PRIMA' FACIE.

[illegible] News [illegible] department was asked what frog legs are. [illegible] they are game [illegible] poultry, but after further consideration decided to call them unmanufactured articles not specifically provided for, and then changed its mind again and called them articles manufactured wholly or in part.

If the officials will only consider this matter in the proper light, they will see that frog's legs from Canada come under the same category as snails from France. And French snails are game when they are hunted in the garden, poultry when they are found in fresh manufactured articles when they are shipped raw, articles manufactured wholly or in part when they are cooked and stoppered with garlic and paraley.

Detroit News: Sucker creek is a great feeder for Easy Street.

Louisville Times: "The melancholy days." What bunk? When pumpkin pie is allus et, and lots of cider's drunk.

Toronto Daily Star: Proposition to use artificial Christmas trees seems all right when you reflect that Santa Claus usually wears that kind of whiskers.

Little Rock, Arkansas, Democrat: Funny old language: the sportsmen say conserve our wild life, and the reformers say end it.

Columbus, Ohio, State Journal: The fine bride who would rather have a washing machine than a wrist watch for Christmas ought to have [illegible].

Akron Beacon Journal: If he can raise two small fragments of truth and make a large, convincing lie, he is a propagandist.

Elmira Star Gazette: Possibly the grade crossing peril could be eliminated by providing folding wings for automobiles, so that with enough headway they would soar right over a railroad train.

From the People

Christian Unity.

Decatur, Ill., Nov. 23, 1923.

Editor Review:

In St. Matthew, sixteenth chapter, Jesus asked His disciples "Whom say ye I am?" Simon Peter answered and said, Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God, and Jesus answered and said unto him: and I also say unto thee that thou art Peter and upon this rock I will build my church and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it."

And in the third chapter of St. Matthew He gives an example showing us how we may become members of His church. And in St. John third chapter, fifth verse, He says we must follow His example or we cannot enter into the kingdom of God.

In St. Matthew seventh chapter, Jesus says, "Enter ye in at the straight gate: for wide is the gate and broad is the way that leadeth to destruction and many there be that go in thereat because straight is the gate and narrow is the way that leadeth to life and few there be that find it."

Now all the people in all the world are travelers and there are only two ways for them to travel. One is the straight gate and narrow way that leadeth to life and life is Heaven and the other is the wide gate and broad way that leadeth to destruction and destruction is hell.

I have read in the newspapers that there are 168 different kinds of religion taught in the United States. If all those different kinds of teachers could be induced to unite on the Bible and teach Bible doctrine, it would be the grandest organization in all the world. Christian unity can be established on the platform of one Lord, one faith and one baptism. Sectarianism is hindering the cause of Christianity more than all the idolatry and infidelity in the world combined.

GEORGE W. RIGELIN,
Decatur, Ill.

Ten Years Ago Today in Decatur

NOVEMBER 24, 1913.

About 250 union craftsmen in the new Wabash locomotive shop, struck when a non-union machinist was employed.

It was reported the city council would ask the resignation of Chief of Police E. G. Allen and a large crowd filled the city council rooms for the meeting. He was not asked to resign but the crowd was treated to plenty of fiery oratory among council members.

Burglars cracked the safe in the Garver food store on Wabash avenue and got $18.

Miss Laura McMillen entertained at a miscellaneous shower at her home 2400 East Cerro Gordo street in honor of Miss Maybelle Nixon who was soon to marry Rev. Mr. Gasway. Girls of The Review Printing and Stationery Co. were guests.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

A verdict of not guilty was returned in the case of William Cumings, tried for murder.

Miss [illegible] gave a reception at her home on West Prairie.

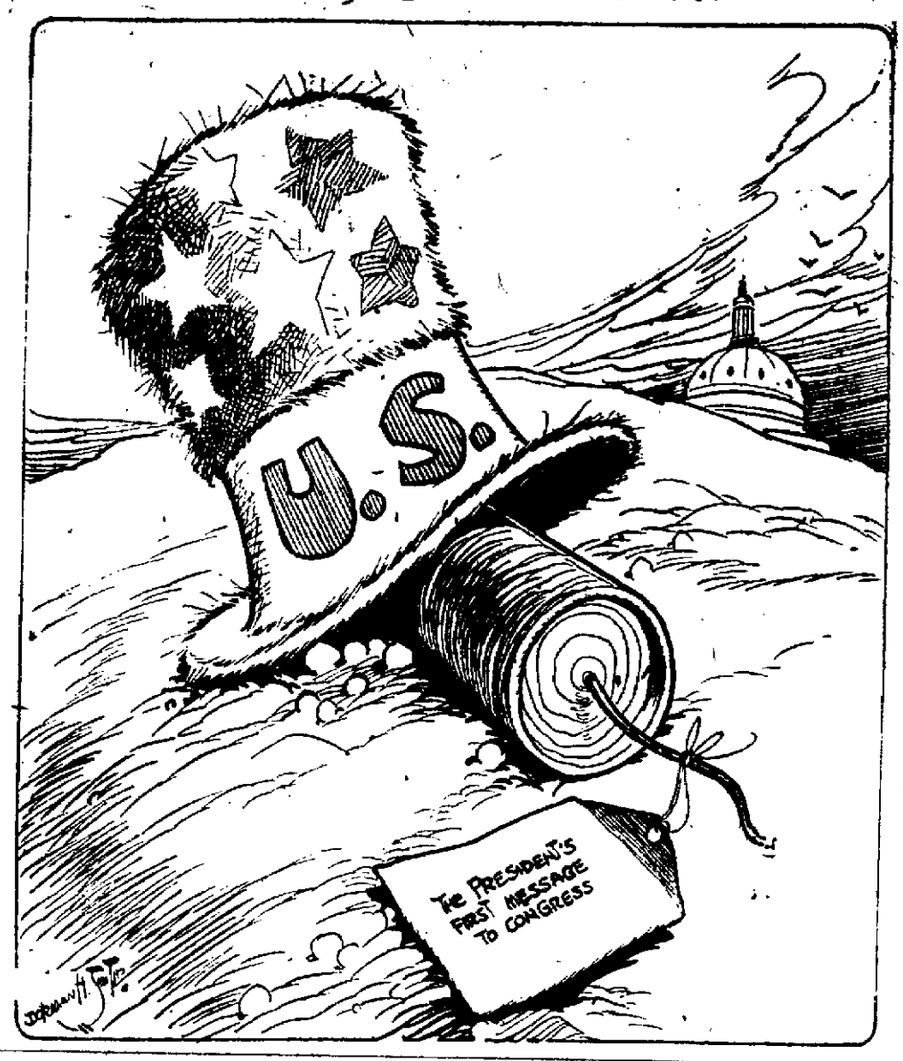
[illegible] Scoville, candymaker and ex-ball player and Miss Daisy Mc[illegible] eloped to Springfield where they were married.

DAIRY MANAGEMENT ATTRACTS WOMEN

Stockholm, Nov. 24—(AP)—Management of dairies and small country estates offers a new and inviting occupation for Swedish women, according to Miss Elizabeth Tamm in an address before the Swedish Woman Citizens' Union. Miss Tamm is the second woman elected to the upper chamber of the Swedish Riksdag and owns and manages a large model country estate near Stockholm.

She spoke of the tendency of Swedish women to become self-supporting in business or professions, which until recently had been reserved for men. In the country vocations, she said, women are fully able to compete with men in executive work.

How High Will It Go?



Just Folks

By Edgar A. Guest.

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HERE, SON, I'LL SHOW YOU HOW.

I watched him bending o'er his book
And smiled at his troubled look
And wrinkles in his brow.
The problem troubled him, I knew,
And so I said, as fathers do,
"Here, son, I'll show you how."

I've caught him many a time, I guess
Floundering about in deep distress
As I had found him now.
And knowing that he must be led
Through tangled ways, I've always said
"Here, son, I'll show you how."

With hammer and saw I've toiled,
Rebuilt the things his hands had spoiled
So that his eyes might see
Just how the puzzling work was done.
I've said, "I'll show you how, my son."
That he might learn from me.

Not strict with him, but strict with me,
My obligation is to be
If rightly he shall learn,
Beholding me and all I do
So will he shape his conduct, too
So will my faults return.

Some day when life is puzzling him,
And sore beset by dangers grim
He stands with anxious brow,
God grant I may be fit to say:
"Hold fast to honor through the day—
"Here, son, I'll show you how."

Little Benny's Notebook

The Park Ave. News.
Weather. Partly good.
Sporting Page.

Puds Simkins says the muscles in his arms are getting more plentifull on account of practicing with his dumbbells before he goes to skool every morning.

Sid Hunt and Sam Cross and Leroy Shooster made up a contest last Wensday to see which one would get up the erliest the next morning, the result being that they all overslept themselfs and was all late for skool.

Favorite Expressions of Well Known People.

"O, is that so?"—Leroy Shooster.
"The heck you will."—Sid Hunt.
"Aw prooens,"—Skinny Martin.
"G winnickers,"—Artie Alixander.
"Hay lissen here"—Glasses Magee.
"Jimminy Crickets,"—Sam Cross.
"Well wats you going to do about it?"—Reddy Merfy.

Pome by Skinny Martin.

Get Bizzy,
Make haste wile the sun is shining
For tomorro a new day starts.
At wat is more useliss than chewing gum
After the talst departs?

Lost and Found.

Lost—The last half of a sour ball in a match box. Ony usefill to the owner. See Shorty Judge.

LEE PAPE.

America's Favorite Songs

HOME, SWEET HOME

It isn't often that the birthday of a song is celebrated. That happened, however, on May 8, 1893, when the centenary of "Home, Sweet Home" was observed.

John Howard Payne, the author, was born in New York, June 9, 1792. He was one of a large family. As a boy Payne showed considerable elocutionary ability. A friend of the family defrayed his expenses at Union College, but upon the death of his mother he left college and tried his luck on the stage. When only 20 he appeared on the stage in England.

SONG IN PLAY

Payne originally wrote "Clari or the Maid of Milan," as a play. The famous actor, Charles Kemble, to whom he had submitted the manuscript, told him he would accept "Clari" if Payne would set music to it. Kemble produced the resultant opera and paid the author 50 pounds for it. At the time the opera was accepted, Payne was almost starving in an attic in Paris. Nearly everyone connected with the opera became wealthy through it except Payne.

In later years he said, "How often have I been in the heart of Paris, Berlin, London or some other city and heard persons sing or hand organs play 'Home, Sweet Home,' without having a shilling to buy myself the next meal or a place to lay my head on. The world has literally sung my song until every heart is familiar with its melody, yet I have been a wanderer from boyhood."

'Mid pleasures and palaces
Though we may roam,
Be it ever so humble,
There's no place like home;
A charm from the skies
Seems to hallow us there,
Which, seek thro' the world
Is ne'er met with elsewhere.

Home, home, sweet, sweet home,
There's no place like home;
There's no place like home.

I gaze on the moon
As I tread the drear wild
And feel that my mother
Now thinks of her child,
As she looks on that moon
From our own cottage door,
Thro' the woodbine whose fragrance
Shall cheer me no more.

An exile from home,
Splendor dazzles in vain
Oh, give me my lowly
Thatched cottage again
The birds singing gaily
That came at my call,
Give me them and that
Peace of mind, dearer than all.

What is your favorite American song? Is it in this list? Send your choice to Kenneth S. Clark, Community Service, 315 Fourth avenue, New York, as part of a nation-wide vote.

"LID" ON BRIDGE NEAR TUSCOLA

Decatur Contractor Pours Concrete on Big Job.

Tuscola, Nov. 24.—Contractor Ben F. Harrison of Decatur was pouring the "lid" or floor part of the new bridge across the big ditch south of town, where it is crossed by both the Ocean to Ocean highway and the new route of the Egyptian trail, or Route 32, on Friday. The abutments were finished several days ago.

The new structure is of reinforced concrete work and is to carry a roadway the full width of the eighteen-foot slab of the Ocean to Ocean route at that point.

DETOURED LONG TIME.

The old bridge there was out of use for a considerable time before the construction of the new one was begun, so that a detour around the place has been necessary nearly all summer and fall. It likely will be some little time yet before the new bridge will be open to traffic. The highway at that point is the south line of the city limits and all the time that the bridge has been out of service it has been necessary to make a detour of two blocks to the north for a distance of two blocks east or west, crossing the ditch on another bridge in order to get around the place.

CINDERED STREETS.

All of the detour except the two blocks of South Main street that are used in making it were unimproved streets when the detour became necessary, but the city has hauled cinders and given all of the roadway used in the detour a heavy coating of cinder surface. But cinders are a poor surface for a road where traffic is heavy. The wheels pound out great holes and rough places and the general public will be glad to see the new bridge in use and the road open.

BAZAAR OPENS.

The bazaar held by the ladies of the Presbyterian church in an empty business room on Sale street, and which opened Friday, had a big day's business on the opening day. The articles on sale were numerous and there were plenty of buyers. The sale will continue through Saturday and Saturday evening.

The high school at this place closed Friday along with all of the other high schools of the surrounding country, while the teachers were attending the meeting of the high school people in Champaign.

Mrs. Sarah Greene of near Roachdale, Ind., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Howard of Tuscola. The Greenes formerly lived in this vicinity.

Miss Frances McCarty has gone to Chicago and Evanston for a visit.

Mrs. Ira Chase and her mother, who is visiting here, went to Hume Friday.

Mrs. Hester Robertson, formerly of this place but who now makes her home at Broadlands, went via the C. I. and W., from here to Decatur Friday.

The light rain which came in the latter part of the night Thursday night slowed up the corn shucking on Friday, as the fields and the corn were too wet. There was only a small amount of rainfall, but the dark cloudy weather on Friday prevented drying. A good many farmers of this vicinity will finish or nearly finish their corn gathering this week.

WOMEN AROUSED AT DOG MUZZLE ORDER

Berlin, Nov. 24—(AP)—A war of words is raging in Berlin between women who own pet dogs on one side and the police and non-owners of dogs on the other. It was started when the police put into effect again an order requiring all dogs to be muzzled and kept on leash when in the streets. The women dog fanciers charge that this is simply a means of persecuting them for taking the muzzles off their little pets and letting them loose for a run in the tiergarten.

WHALERS ACTIVE IN THE ANTARCTIC

Christiania, Nov. 24—(AP)—The whaling industry has come back in Norway, and it now holds an important position in the economic life of the country. Last year the operations in the Antarctic brought 50,000,000 crowns. Sixty-six whaling vessels are in commission, and 3,000 persons are engaged in the business.

A MATING IN THE WILDS

By OTTWELL BINNS

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BEGIN HERE TODAY.

Hubert Stane, discharged convict, saves the life of Helen Yardely as her canoe travels toward a dangerous waterfall. Gerald Ainley, one-time friend of Stane, is in love with Helen, who is the niece of a governor of the Hudson Bay company.

The governor and Helen are visiting at a northern post of the company. Stane and Helen start to walk the trail to the governor's camp while Ainley searches for Helen. Gerald meets a half-breed who tells him that he has seen Helen and Stane. He accuses Ainley of shooting at Helen as her canoe passes along the river.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY.

Seating himself upon a fallen tree he scribbled a hasty note to Sir James Yardely, telling him that he had news of Helen and that he hoped very shortly to return to camp with her, and having addressed it give it to the half-breed.

"There is no need for haste," he said. "I will reward you now, and the great man whose niece the girl is, will reward you further when you take the news of her that is in the letter. But you will remember not to talk. I should say nothing about what you saw up the river a few days back. Sir James is a suspicious man and he might think that you fired those shots yourself—in which case—" He shrugged his shoulders, then taking out a ten-dollar note, handed it to the half-breed, whose eyes gleamed as he took it. "Now," he continued, "shoulder your canoe and come along to the river. I should like to see you start. I'll carry your gun, and that sack of yours."

He took the half-breed's gun, picked up the beans, and in single file they marched through the wood back to where the Indian sat patiently waiting. On their appearance he looked round, and as his eyes fell on the half-breed's face a momentary falsh came into them, and then as it passed he continued to look at the new-comer curiously.

Ainley rapidly explained the situation and the Indian listened without comment. He waited until the half-breed was actually afloat and out of earshot, and then he spoke.

"Bad man!" he said. "No good. Heem liar. I have seen heem b'fore."

"Maybe," answered Ainley lightly. "So much the better—for one thing. But there's no reason why he should lie about this matter, and I think he was telling the truth about that meeting up the other river. We'll follow the trail anyway; and we will start at once. Will the portage on the river be the better way?"

"Portage," said the Indian, following the half-breed with his eyes.

"Then we had better get going. We've no time to lose, and you needn't worry yourself about that fellow. He'll do what I've asked him, for the sake of himself. He can have no reason for doing otherwise."

But in that, as in his statement that the half-breed could have no reason for lying, Ainley was mistaken. The stolen canoe was a very ample reason, and so little inclined was the thief to seek the presence of Sir James Yardely, that when he reached a creek three miles or so up the river, he deliberately turned aside, and at his first camp he used Ainley's note to light his pipe, tossing what was left of it into the fire without the least compunction. Then, as he smoked, a look of malice came on his face.

CHAPTER IX

Under the Greenwood Tree.

SLOWLY, and with pungent taste of raw brandy in his mouth, Hubert Stane came to himself. The first thing he saw was Helen Yardely's white face bending over him, and the first sound he heard was a cry of sobbing gladness.

"Oh!" cried the girl. "You must lie still, Mr. Stane. I am afraid you are rather badly hurt. Indeed, I thought you were killed. I am going to do what I can for you, now that I know that you are not. Your leg is broken, I think, and you have other injuries, but that is most serious, and I must manage to set it, somehow."

"To set it—" he began, and broke off.

"Yes! I am afraid I shall not prove a very efficient surgeon; but I will do my best. I hold the St. John's Ambulance medal, so you might be worse off," she said with a wan smile.

Without more ado she departed, taking with her an ax, and presently through the stillness of the forest there reached him the sound of chopping. Lying as he was on the flat of his back, he couldn't see the leg, and desiring to do so he made a great effort and sat up. As he did so, he groaned heavily, and incontinently fainted.

He was still unconscious when the girl returned, and after one quick look of alarm she nodded to herself. "A faint," she whispered. "Perhaps it is just as well."

With a knife she ripped the breeches leg right up the seam, then with the aid of moss and a blanket, together with the rough splints she had cut, she made a shift to set the broken leg.

At last she gave a sob of relief and stood up to survey her handiwork. The splicing and the binding looked terribly rough, but she was confident that the fractured ends of bone were in position, and in any case she had done her best.

After that she busied herself with building a fire, and after heating water, washed the wound on Stane's forehead, and carefully examined him for other injuries.

Cutting a quantity of young spruce-boughs she fashioned them into a bed close beside where he lay, and filled all the interstices with springy moss, laying over all a blanket. That done, she turned once more to Stane, to find him with eyes wide open, watching her.

The ordeal of getting Stane to bed was certainly a painful one, but by no means so difficult as the girl had anticipated. Making a sling out of the pack ropes, Helen held the injured leg clear of the ground, whilst Stane, using his arms and his other leg, managed to lift himself backward on to his improvised couch.

Stane was too done up to eat much, but he swallowed a fair quantity of coffee, whilst the girl forced herself to eat, having already realized that the welfare of both of them for the time being depended upon her and upon her strength. When the meal was ended, she found his pipe, charged it for him, and procured him a light, and with a murmur of thanks, Stane began to smoke.

"I thought I was done for," he said as he looked towards the tangled trunks. "I slipped and plunged right into a sort of crevasse, didn't I?"

"Yes," answered Helen quietly. "It was a little time before I could find you. There was a kind of den made by crossed trunks, and you had slipped between them into it."

"How did you manage to get me out?" he asked, his eyes on the amazing jumble of trunks and branches.

"Well," was the reply, given with a little laugh, "as I told you this morning, I am fairly strong. But it was a hard task for all that. I had to cut away quite a number of interlacing branches, and hoist you out of the crevasse with the pack rope, then slide you down the deadfall as best I could. When I got you to the ground, I went through your pack and found the brandy which I saw you place there this morning. The rest you know."

Stane looked at her with eyes that glowed with admiration. "You make it a little thing," he said gratefully, "but I know what it means. You have saved my life, Miss Yardely."

The girl flushed crimson, and then laughed a little to hide her embarrassment. "Oh, as to that—we are quits, Mr. Stane."

He looked at her and noticed for the first time that her blouse was badly torn. Half of one sleeve was ripped away, and there was a long tear through which he caught the gleam of a white shoulder. Her skirts he saw was in no better case. She caught his glance and laughed. "I'm a perfect Cinderella! It will take me hours to sew up these rents."

"Do you think it is worth while?" he asked with a faint smile. "I'm not much of a tailor myself, and I should look a fool at the job as wasted effort."

"But what else can I do?" she demanded. "I can't get in a taxi and run down to Bond street on a shopping expedition."

"No," he answered slowly. "But you might look in the pack you carried today. There's a habit there that is better suits to the woods than the one you have."

Divining that his advice would be accepted he turned to a fresh subject. "Where are you going to sleep? You ought not to have given me the tent."

She waved a hand airily outside. "There isn't much room here. Like R. L. S. sleeping out with his donkey I shall discover a new pleasure for myself."

"I am afraid you will find it an exaggerated pleasure, Miss Yardely." "Then it will be strictly for one night only," she said. "Tomorrow I shall build a shack of boughs and back like one I saw Indian builders down on the Peace river."

The girl went outside, and after staying for quite a long time looking in the fire, retired to the couch of spruce which she had prepared for herself, and almost instantly fell asleep.

Four hours afterwards she awoke suddenly and looked around her. A rosy glow through the trees proclaimed the dawn. The forest was wonderfully still, and there seemed no reason whatever for the sudden awakening. Then a stream of meaningless babble came through the canvas wall of the tent. She sat up listening, and [illegible] Presently the patient was delirious and the sound of his delirious babble [illegible] her sleep. Three minutes later she was inside the tent, her brow pucered with anxiety.

Stane lay [illegible] with flushed face, windswept eyes that glittered with a feverish light. For the moment he was quite, but whilst she still stood wondering what she should do the delirium broke out again, a torrent of babble of words without meaning. Some English, some Indian, in which she found only two that for her had any significance. One was Gerald Ainley's name, and the other the name of the head of Indian girl whom she had seen talking with the sick man down at Fort Malaun Miskodeed.

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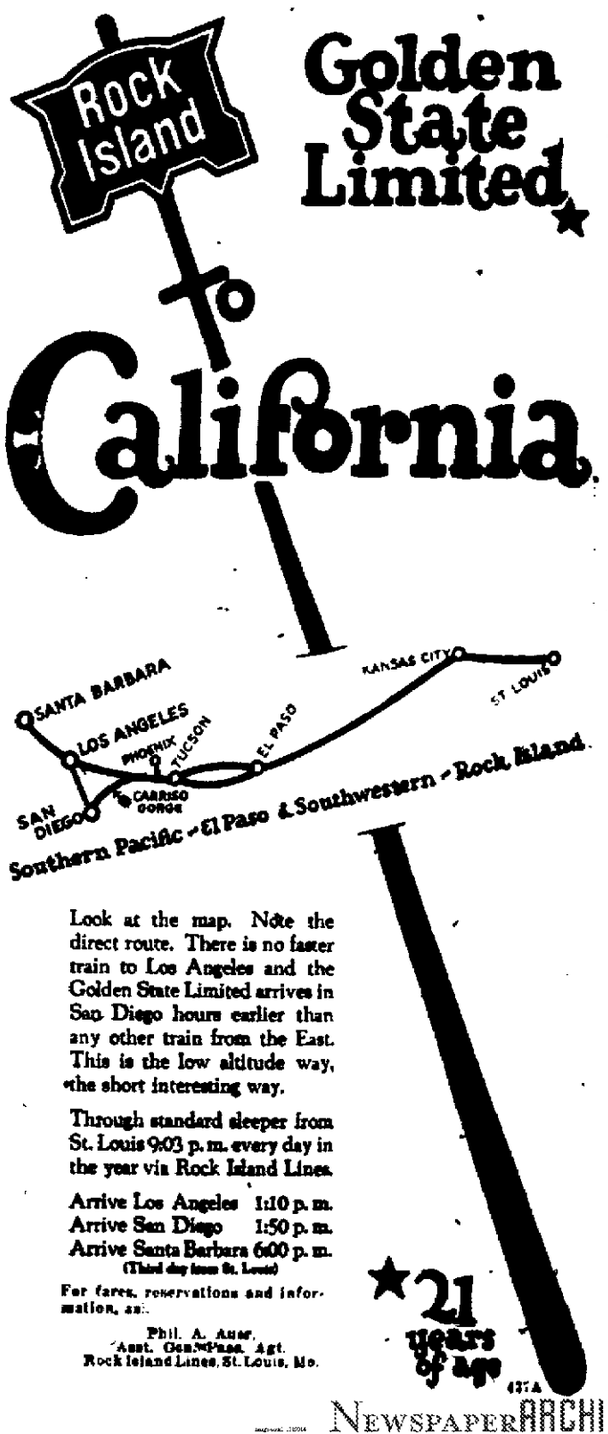

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FOLLOW UP CLUE IN BANK ROBBERY

Burnt Prairie Bank Official At Taylorville.

Taylorville, Nov. 24.—J. G. Powell, an official of the Burnt Prairie State Bank which was robbed of $79,000 in cash and securities Oct. 10, was in this city Friday interviewing Sheriff Flesher presumably in an effort to link Gordon Oyler, Orville Sample and Sam Haynes, alias Thomas Saunders, who are held in the county jail here on charges of robbery in connection with the Sharpsburg postoffice and Roby store robberies with the robbery of the Burnt Prairie State Bank.

BELIEVES THEY DID IT.

Mr. Powell stated that the men had [illegible] at Harrisburg [illegible] had robbed the bank and [illegible] $7,500 in cash and the [illegible] bonds. They told her that [illegible] divided the money in equal [illegible] and then burned the bonds. [illegible] says that the story told by [illegible] is so correct that it [illegible] that the men were [illegible] the robbery.

TWO MEN ACCUSED.

[illegible] was filed in the [illegible] Friday by State's Attorney [illegible] charging Ben Wright [illegible] William Wright [illegible] assault with a deadly weapon [illegible] the son of Truman Teaney [illegible] to inflict serious injury, [illegible] an altercation which occurred [illegible] West Main [illegible] Truman was [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] cases was set for [illegible] Teaney dropped the charge against Ben Wright, Jr., and the other cases were dismissed by Judge [illegible] in order that they [illegible] county court.

RYAN FUNERAL MONDAY.

Funeral services will be held at [illegible] Monday morning at the [illegible] and Wallace undertaking [illegible] for Mrs. Ryan, [illegible] of the late Dennis Ryan, who [illegible] hospital [illegible] The Rev. Father [illegible] Catholic [illegible] Interment [illegible] Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Ryan had been a resident of [illegible] for the past nineteen [illegible] passed away after an [illegible] of three weeks caused by the [illegible] At the time [illegible] she was aged eighty-three [illegible] in Kilkenny, [illegible] She came to [illegible] girl with [illegible] parents. Her husband, parents, [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] gallons of wine and [illegible] was [illegible] Sheriff Andrew Flesher [illegible] raid made on the [illegible] Howard and [illegible] Howard, prominent farmers of South Fork township, late Wednesday evening.

The Howard brothers were brought to Taylorville Thursday and arraigned before Justice O. B. Hewitt on a charge of possessing intoxicating liquors. They were bound over to the action of the grand jury under bonds of $500 each.

CHICAGO WOMAN VISITING IN WITT

Witt, Nov. 24.—Mrs. Emil Ferrio of Chicago was called here Monday by the death of her aunt, Mrs. Margaret Clotfelter of Hillsboro. She will visit her mother, Mrs. Jennie C. Short, and sisters, Mrs. Charles Lockhart and Mrs. Andrew Hughes, and brother Ralph Short before returning to her home.

The November program of the Parent-Teacher association will be given Monday night, Nov. 26, in Avena's' hall. The sixth grade pupils are preparing a strong program and Miss Gertrude Green will sing.

The young people of the Methodist church are preparing the play, "When the Clock Strikes Twelve," which they will put on in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hughes of near Hillsboro were here Tuesday, the guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. Charles Lockhart and family.

Rev. Father Manning gave a very forceful address Tuesday afternoon before the high school assembly on the subject, "Education and the Lack of It."

W. A. Green, superintendent of schools, Miss Cora Lipe, Miss Margaret Moore, Miss Florence Fair and Coach Otto R. Litwiller were in Champaign Thursday and Friday, attending a high school conference.

Rev. Harold W. Hartman gave an address before the high school student body Wednesday, on the subject, "Education and Civilization."

Mrs. Anna Branson of Vandalia is here making an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. C. Mayhew and family.

Mrs. Satterlee of Nokomis was here visiting relatives Thursday.

Miss Catharine Blockburger of Hillsboro visited Thursday with her aunt, Mrs. Ralph Short and family.

Arthur Fox moved his family and household goods here Friday from Hillsboro.

Joe Hadley is very sick at his home, suffering with tuberculosis.

Route sixteen will temporarily enter Witt from the north on Second street, thence west on Broadway thence south on Main to the railroad crossing, until the hard road is completed.

William Folkerts and family of Nokomis visited Frank Hargrave and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Stephenson and family of Chapman were here Sunday, visiting Mrs. Jacob Bauerle.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Lipe in Taylorville Friday, Nov. 23, a seven and one-half pound boy. This is their second child and they were former residents of Witt.

Harold Mayhew made a business trip to Nokomis Friday.

BEMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Bradley went to St. Louis Friday. They will go to Mexico, Mo., Saturday to pass Sunday with their son, Richard, who has been there since August.

A son was born Sunday, Nov. 18, to Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Wright. His name is Eugene Burr.

The Bement football team will play the last game of the season Thanksgiving at Monticello.

UNION SERVICE IN BETHANY THURSDAY

Bethany, Nov. 24.—The Union Thanksgiving service will be held in the Presbyterian church Thursday morning, Nov. 30, at ten o'clock. Rev. A. L. Shafer of the Methodist church will deliver the sermon and the music will be furnished by a choir composed of singers from the different churches. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

VISITED PRAIRIE HOME.

The members of the Presbyterian church went to the Prairie Home church Sunday evening. Luncheon was served the visitors by the Prairie Home ladies in the basement of the church. Evening services were held after the lunch. Rev. R. C. Kelly, pastor of the Bethany church, conducted the services and delivered the sermon and the Bethany choir furnished the music.

ENTERTAINED.

Miss Lucille Jones entertained in her home Tuesday evening. The time was spent playing games, after which luncheon was served.

A daughter was born to Mrs. Lou Mathias at Moweaqua Sunday. Before Mr. Mathias' sudden death here in August the family had resided here for several years, Mr. Mathias being the manager of the Standard Oil company at this place.

The second number of the lyceum course will be a lecture, "The Stranger Within Our Gates," by Edward Tomlinson, at the high school, Monday, Nov. 26, at 7:30 p. m.

TEA FROM CHINA.

Victor Logan, who is a medical student in Cornell medical college, in New York, last week sent his relatives here chests of first quality tea from China.

There was no school at the high school Friday as the teachers are attending teachers' conference in Champaign.

Mrs. W. A. Wilkinson delightfully entertained the members of the ladies' class of the Presbyterian church in her home Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. W. T. Crowder, who is soon to leave for Arizona. The afternoon was spent in games and contests, after which refreshments were served. Mrs. Kelly, in a pleasing speech, presented a gift from the class, a silver tray, to Mrs. Crowder. About twenty-five were present.

Miss Lois Mathias, who is taking a nurse's training course in Peoria, came Tuesday for a few days' visit with relatives.

TO CALIFORNIA.

Carl Mathias left Thursday for Los Angeles, Cal., where he has a position. Mrs. Mathias and two children and Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Mullinix left Wednesday for California.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom White Crowder, who have been spending several weeks in the country with their son Russell and family, came home Wednesday.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church met at the home of Mrs. I. E. DeBruler Tuesday afternoon. The home subject was, "The Mountaineers," given by Mrs. T. L. Hudson, and the foreign subject, "Siam," by Mrs. N. E. Doyle.

The fire department was called to the home of Dr. J. L. Bone Tuesday morning, but before it arrived the fire, which was caused by an overheated furnace, was extinguished before any damage was done.

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HAMBURGER FRY AT VILLA GROVE

Villa Grove, Nov. 23—Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Cunningham entertained the members of the grade school board, their wives and the grade school teachers at a hamburger fry at their home on South Walnut street Tuesday evening. Those present later attended the high school lyceum number in the auditorium of the high school.

Twelve women from here attended the W. F. M. S. institute at Allerton Tuesday. Those who attended were: Mrs. Ida Knisley, Mrs. W. G. Lloyd, Mrs. A. C. Ford, Mrs. Dick McGuire, Mrs. Frank Tullis, Mrs. Frank England, Mrs. C. L. Davis, Mrs. Al Welch, Mrs. D. H. Wheeler, Mrs. James Reeder, Mrs. C. H. Maxfield, Mrs. W. C. Jennings.

The lyceum number given by Pietro La Verdi at the high school Tuesday night was well attended. He played the piano accordion and the musical was greatly enjoyed. His entertainment was different and unusual. The lyceum is sponsored by the senior class.

The Pleasure and Profit Kitchen Kabinet Band gave a concert at Broadlands Thursday night. They have been requested to give it at Camargo at an early date.

Mrs. E. G. Wegmiller is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Harpister of St. Peter. They are planning to go to Bloomington Saturday to visit until Tuesday with relatives.

Miss Velma Brown has been unable to attend school for a few days on account of an attack of tonsilitis.

The special meetings at the Baptist church are attracting good crowds each night.

Mr. and Mrs. Muney have a new son since Monday night. Mr. Muney is cashier at the C. & E. I. depot.

Mrs. Frank Bryan was called to Arcola Wednesday by the death of the little son of her brother, Omar Shields. The baby was the victim of meningitis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Orrison have as their guest Mr. Orrison's father of Monticello.

Mrs. Everett Sands will be hostess for the Book club Monday afternoon.

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LOVINGTON.

The J. B. club entertained their husbands at dinner Thursday noon at the home of Mrs. Melvin Hurst.

Mrs. W. R. Hesler has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. V. Burwell and family in Decatur.

AT TEACHER'S MEETING.

O. W. McAllister, Mrs. Ruth Maxwell, Misses Miller, Bevans, McMillan, C. H. Dalton, H. Brunner and L. C. Francisco attended teachers' meeting in Champaign Friday.

Mrs. Eva Bunyan of Sullivan visited here Wednesday with friends.

Silas Welsh of Shelbyville is here visiting his daughters, Mrs. Ira Hoffman and Mrs. J. E. Dixon.

Mrs. A. U. Heckart of Montour Falls, N. Y., who has been visiting relatives here the last month, has returned to her home. Enroute she will visit in Dayton, Ohio, with her daughter, Mrs. Ida Potts and family.

The F. M. Club of the Methodist church enjoyed a wiener roast at the home of Miss Treva Purdue Wednesday evening.

Miss Lucile Hoffman entertained several of her girl friends at her home Friday evening in honor of her thirteenth birthday. The girls attending were: Dorothy Bowman, Loma Belem, Helen Rutherford, Helen Everett, Eloise Bowers, Thelma Blockford, Valeria Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dixon and Mrs. L. W. McMullin spent Wednesday in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Welsh of Villa Grove visited here Wednesday with Rev. O. L. Hess and wife.

MAROA.

The rain Thursday night [illegible] corn husking. Only a [illegible] have finished.

[illegible] Asbury has [illegible] taken possession of a [illegible] business at Milford.

E. W. LeMon and Lee Adams [illegible] returned to their home at Spokane, Wash.

An oyster supper was held at the Upper Ridge school house west of town Friday evening.

There are a few cases of scarlet fever in the community.

CHRISTMAS CARDS WILDER & WILDER 129 N MAIN STREET

A daughter was born Nov. 19 [illegible] and Mrs. Lynn Adams.

[illegible] Lydia Norris entertained [illegible] of the R. A. C. club at her [illegible] Thursday afternoon.

[illegible] Nowlin remains quite ill at his home in this city. Mr. Nowlin has been suffering with pneumonia.

[illegible] was [illegible] City, Ia., Friday [illegible] matters

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THE JASPERETTE

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Hallowe'en Parties.

The 3A, 4B, 5B, and 5A grades had a Hallowe'en party together on October 31. There were a number of the boys and girls masked. More of the 3A and 4B boys and girls masked [illegible] 5B and 5A. The one from each room who had the best costume [illegible] prize. Evelyn Ishmeal and Robert Hathaway won the prizes. Evelyn was dressed as an old witch and Robert as an Indian. They [illegible] very good costumes. The games we played were pinning on the cat's [illegible] telling fortunes, biting apples from a string, getting gum-drops on the end of a string, and other games. The refreshments were popcorn and apples. We left school late, [illegible] the fun we had had.
RUTH ARLINE COX, 4B.

The 4A and 5B had a Hallowe'en party. It was Oct. 31 at 3 o'clock. We had a very good time. First we went down on the school grounds and played games. One was "Bears and Cattle." Then we came up in our room and took our seats.

Some girls had put the fruit out on the table. We had for our refreshments apples popcorn and cookies. Then our teacher told us a story. We were very much interested in the story. At 4:00 we went home.
ELOISE SEIBERT, 4A.

We had a Hallowe'en party at school. Our teacher chose certain children to bring popcorn, apples and doughnuts. Most of the children came masked. We brought our clothes to school and at recess in the afternoon we changed. We had numbers pinned on our backs. The children who weren't masked guessed who we were.

Georgia Clow and Byron Doren received prizes for having the best costumes. Georgia was dressed like a Scotch girl and Byron was dressed like an old woman.
ORA KEPLER, 5A.

At Jasper School the 2B and 3A had a Hallowe'en party. Some of the boys and girls were masked and some were not. Evelyn and Lucile were [illegible] and an old man. Howard was an old colored man and used a crutch. Albern was dressed as a red devil. The children visited other rooms. There were jack o'lanterns, witches and Hallowe'en posters around the room. They had refreshments of apples, oranges and cookies. They are sure they had a good time.
3B.

We had a Hallowe'en party.
We invited Miss Nosler's room.
We played games.
We had fun pinning tails on a black paper cat.
We had good things to eat.
When Miss Foal's room came in to see us.
They had on funny suits and false faces.
We liked their parade.
We want to have another party.
IA-1B, ROOM 2.

I am having fun at hallowe'en tonight. This is hallowe'en night. There is fun at the party with the clown.
VELMA ABEL, 2B.

We are having fun. Who are you? I am a ghost. Who are you? I am a fairy. Have you a pumpkin? Oh, yes, I have a pumpkin.
NELLIE FITZPATRICK, 2B.

Once upon a time hallowe'en came. The children were glad because they could play with Jack o'-lanterns.
RAYMOND MOORE, 2B.

HOW FIFTH GRADE WON THE PRIZE

On October first tickets were given out to be sold for a chicken supper. We only had four days in which to sell the tickets.

Every room tried very hard to sell them, because the room which sold the most got a prize. The 5A and the 5B got the prize.

We sold 370 tickets which gave us $43.50. Our prize is a flag on a staff, which can be placed anywhere in the room, and does not have to be hung up. Our room is very proud of it. MARGARET FITZPATRICK, 5A.

CLASSES STUDY MALNUTRITION

When the school nurse weighed the children at the beginning of the year she found that fifteen children in our room were ten per cent or more under weight.

In our hygiene classes we studied the causes of malnutrition. Dr. Wm. R. P. Emerson of Boston gives the following:

1. Physical defects.
2. Lack of parent control of the whole situation.
3. Over-fatigue.
4. Faulty food habits.
5. Faulty habits of general hygiene.

Our teacher is testing us to see if we have any physical defects that can be remedied. In testing our eyes she found that twenty-two had imperfect vision in one or both eyes, four of which are quite serious. We feel that the defective eye-sight in our room is largely due to the poor condition of our black boards and lighting system. The boards are in such poor condition that the teacher has to put all the assignments on in yellow chalk and even then we cannot see all of them.

We wish that the parents or school board would see to it that we get new boards before all of our eyes are ruined.—6B Class

ENJOYS TRIP TO CONNECTICUT

Jasper Pupil Has Long Auto Tour.

On Sunday morning, Sept. 9, our family started on an auto trip to Connecticut. We had lived there before and we were going back for a short visit.

At six o'clock in the morning we had everything ready and started out. We saw many autos on the road. At Marshall, Ill., we stopped for dinner. From there we traveled all the way on the Old National Road. By six o'clock p. m. we were in Indianapolis, Ind., and camped for the night. There is a large camp there.

After crossing Indiana we came to the state of Ohio. We saw many tobacco fields. Men and women were picking leaves in some of the fields. We passed many mountains in Ohio, West Virginia, and Pennsylvania. In many places the scenery was very beautiful. We also camped at Washington, D. C. In the morning we looked at the Capitol, the Washington monument, the Lincoln Memorial, and other buildings. Between the Washington Monument and the Lincoln Memorial is a large pool of water. You can see reflections very easily in this water.

We went from Washington to New York. Here we crossed the Hudson river on a ferry. I saw many large ships from the ferry.

We reached Waterbury, Conn., Friday night about ten o'clock. We went to a friend's house and stayed there while in Waterbury. I had a very nice time in this city. We stayed a week and visited many old friends. We left Waterbury Saturday morning at six o'clock and went through New York state to Niagara Falls. On the way we saw many, many vineyards.

The Falls were wonderful. I went on the Maid of The Mist. We looked at the Falls from many different places.

After leaving the Falls, we drove along Lake Erie. One night we camped right near the Lake at Cleveland, Ohio. We then came to Indiana and soon to Illinois. When we reached Danville it started to rain.

It rained so hard we stopped at an oil station until it stopped. Then we came on to Decatur. I enjoyed the trip very much, especially seeing the city of Washington and Niagara Falls. NANNA HANSON, 5A.

WHAT I SAW IN CHICAGO

Father took me to Chicago a few weeks ago. We first went to a cafeteria to eat dinner. After dinner we went to the Fair, one of the large department stores. I stepped on a moving stairway and it took me to the third floor. On the third floor I saw many pretty toys.

We also went to the Marshall Field's store. It is one of the most beautiful stores in Chicago. You can stand in the center of the store and look up and see the beautiful dome made of glass of many colors. The stores are so crowded that people push you along. I saw the new Methodist Temple. It is twenty-two stories high with a beautiful dome on top. I saw the Y. M. C. A. Hotel. It has a thousand rooms.

Then we got on a motor bus and went out to Michigan Boulevard, where there are so many cars. We passed through Lincoln Park. Then we went out Sheridan Road drive along the side of Lake Michigan. There was water as far as you could see. The water was very blue and beautiful. There are many very pretty homes in that part of the city.

We came back down town where the streets are always crowded and everybody is in such a hurry that they don't pay any attention to any one. We got on a street car and went to the west side of the city to visit my cousin.
MARIAN E. CHAILLE, 5A.

JASPER AND NORTH DANGEROUS CORNER

The cars speed by here so fast that it is not safe for the children to cross going to and from school. An accident occurs almost every other day, as high as three accidents have happened in one day.

One thing that makes the corner so dangerous is that some of the signs are down and others are so rusty they cannot be easily read.

Letters have been written to the City Motor Club by the school children asking their aid in helping to make the corner more safe for the school children.
KENNETH GREGORY, 6B.

The Bad Speech Bugs.

The 7B class of the Roosevelt Junior High sent us a collection of "Bad Speech Bugs" which was posted in the lower hall.

The names of the Bad Speech Bugs are: "What for? "Ain't," "Ain't got," "I seen," "Ain't got no," "And a," "You wus," Han't got", and others.

The purpose of the Bad Speech Bug was to teach us to use good English at home and other places as well as in school. Our class is trying to speak correctly.
DOROTHY SCHROLL, 5B.

Thanksgiving Story.

The Pilgrims came to America many long years ago. They found Indians here. They learned how to plant corn from the Indians. They were the first to have a Thanksgiving dinner. They invited the Indians. Since that time we have had Thanksgiving day. We thank God for our food.
WINIFRED TAYLOR, 3A.

New Apparatus for Playground

Equipment Bought By the Mothers' Club.

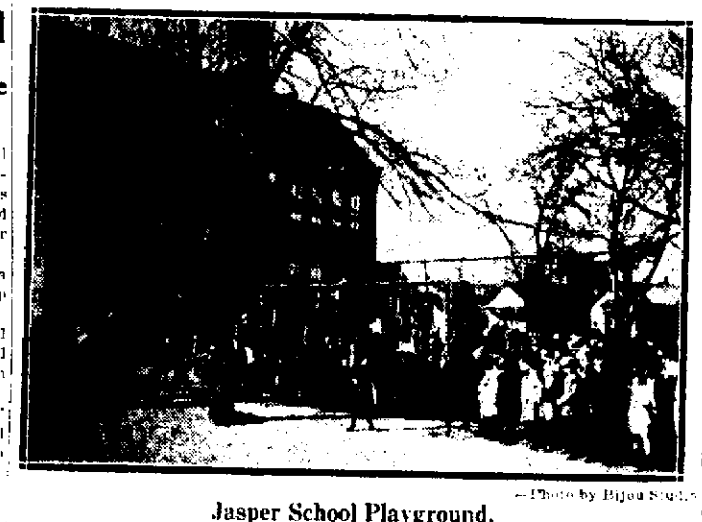
The Mothers' Club of Jasper School has bought some new playground apparatus for the school. It includes swings for the smaller children and rings, poles and climbing ladders for the larger ones.

They are also planning to build a new volley ball court and put up new basket ball standards.

When it is all put up Jasper School will have one of the best equipped playgrounds in the city. We can hardly wait until it is finished.

We think we have the best Fathers' and Mothers' Clubs of the city and we certainly appreciate all they do for us. RUTH CARTER, 6A.

SCHOOL CHILDREN AT PLAY



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Jasper School Playground.
New playground apparatus installed by the Mothers' Club.

Large Crowd at P.-T. A. Meeting

Annual Event Is Held On Nov. 9.

On November 9th the Parent-Teachers' Association of our school held its annual meeting. About two hundred people were present. The sixth grade room was hardly large enough to hold the crowd.

The program was as follows:
Song—"America"—The audience.
Music—School Orchestra.
Vocal Solo—"Daddy, You've Been a Mother to Me"—Harry Bloomquist, Jr.
Piano Solo—Miss Elsie Wood.
Vocal Solo—"Ten Thousand Years From Now"—Mr. Harry Bloomquist.
Violin Solo—Elmer Dressen.
Piano Solo—Miss Pauline Myers.
Address—Supt. Richeson.

Mr. Richeson talked on the agencies necessary for a successful school system. He said the children, the parents, the teachers, the principals, the Board of Education, and the Superintendent had to work together in order to have good schools.

Following the program refreshments were served, consisting of sandwiches, salad, chicken croquettes, cake and coffee. The dining room was decorated in keeping with Armistice Day. VIOLET DOWELL, 5A.

Our New Desk.

One morning a truck brought three new desks to our building. Of course, everybody wanted one in their room. The three desks were sent upstairs so one was placed in our room.

We were happy because it is large and adds much to the appearance of our room. RUTH MUIR, 5B.

To Take Part in Good Health Play

Three Jasper Children to Appear.

Three children of the fifth grade have important parts in the Health Play to be given November 24 in the High School auditorium.

Aliece Jackson has the part of the Mother, Richard Tickell is David, and Helen Perc is the Good Fairy.

The play is called "David and the Good Health Elves." It is a story of a boy who is very careless about his health. The Good Health Elves come and teach him good health habits.

The childrens' costumes are being made by the Domestic Art Classes of Central Junior High School.

Miss Fike is coaching the play, and Miss Gevirtz has charge of the folk dances. HELEN PERC, 5B.

THE GOLDEN RULERS' CLUB

Ten of the girls of the 5A class have organized a little club. The members are: Aliece Jackson, Nanna Hanson, Geraldine Campion, Florence Hinton, Ines Hinton and Marian Challie, Margaret Fitzpatrick, Ester Latal, Lorraine Wilkinson, and Mildred Schaefer. We call it the Golden Rulers' Club. We meet every Saturday afternoon.

We sew, read stories and play games. Just now we are sewing on our Christmas presents.

Our last meeting was at Nanna Hanson's. She served cake, chocolate with marshmallows.

Aliece Jackson is President, Nanna Hanson, Vice President, Florence Hinton, Treasurer, and Mildred Schaefer, Secretary. Our next meeting will be November 20th. We hope to have some new members.
MILDRED SCHAEFER, 5A.

ENGLISH LESSONS AT LINCOLN SCHOOL

During "Good English Week," a class from every school in the Decatur system went to Lincoln school and gave a lesson in English. All the teachers were there to hear the demonstration.

Ten boys and girls from the 5B class were chosen to represent Jasper school. Those chosen were: Fred Shelton, Rickard Tickell, Herman Price, Leonard Winter, Charles Schoonover, Doris Henton, Helen Perc, Helen Nemeyer, Evelyn Ishmael and Ruth Helm.

Our lesson was "Drill in Speaking Distinctly." We learned to be careful about pronouncing "d" "t" "ed" and "ing". We also learned to speak distinctly, we must speak slowly.

I think Miss Imboden liked our lesson. She sent our teacher a beautiful red rose for the good work we had done. I was glad I could go to represent our school.
RUTH B. HELM, 5B.

Clear $100 at Chicken Supper

Three Hundred People Are Served.

Our annual chicken supper was held Thursday, October fourth.

The menu consisted of creamed chicken, gravy, sliced tomatoes, noodles, mashed potatoes, salads, slaw, ice cream, cake and coffee.

In the upstairs rooms there were booths where ice cream cones, pop corn and cracker jack were sold.

There were about three hundred served.

On account of the rain, the supper was served in the basement of the school.

The mothers cleared over one hundred dollars. They expect to use the money to buy play apparatus for the school grounds.
LORRAINE WILKINSON, 5A.

AN UNEXPECTED FIRE DRILL

On October twenty-fourth, while we were busy with lessons, the fire gong sounded. At first we heard but one tap, so we hesitated a moment. Then we heard two more slow taps. Knowing the meaning of that signal we left our books and marched out of the building.

Upon reaching the lower hall, we saw some strange men standing there; but being well trained we marched on out into the street. Every child had marched out of the building in sixty seconds.

We afterwards learned that the three men were Mr. Platt, the Fire Chief, Mr. Wyse, the State Fire Marshal, and Mr. Evans from the business office. It was Mr. Wyse who rang the bell.

After the fire drill was over these men examined our building.

They said it was not as safe as it should be. We hope to have a new school soon that will be fireproof.
ALIECE JACKSON, 5A.

A Surprise.

The last time Miss Irons came to Jasper school it was her birthday. It was October 24. So the children decided to give her a fruit shower. Every boy and girl brought some kind of fruit. Two girls from the sixth grade collected the fruit. Then they gave the fruit to her with the best wishes of Jasper school. Miss Irons was very much surprised.
ARTHUR CHERRY, 6A.

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HON. OWEN SCOTT SPEAKS IN PANA

Other Men of Note At Masonic Fete.

Pana, Nov. 24.—Hon. Owen Scott, grand secretary of the Illinois lodge of Masons, and Rev. R. E. Henry were two Decatur men who appeared on the program of the annual Homecoming and Past Masters' night of Pana lodge No. 226, A. F. and A. M., Thursday evening. Rev. Mr. Henry gave the opening invocation, and Mr. Scott gave a brief talk on the erection of the monument in honor of George Washington, the corner stone of which was laid at Alexandria, Va., Nov. [illegible] Mr. Scott attended the exercises on that occasion, and his description of the building was very complete.

About [illegible] Masons were present Thursday evening. During the change in courses they indulged in song under the direction of L. W. Paul, and the old opera house rang out with music off and on throughout the evening.

Toastmaster A. C. Stanfield, one of the grand lecturers, called the meeting to order and introduced the speakers, who included Worshipful Master [illegible] H. Metcalf, with an address of welcome, Hon. Arthur [illegible] Wood, Most Worshipful Grand Master of Illinois, Hon. [illegible] Caldwell of Chatham, a member of the local lodge, Hon. Owen Scott, and A. L. [illegible] of Chicago.

The latter [illegible] his topic the words of Lincoln at Gettysburg, "All men are created equal," [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

PAINTING ROUTE POLES

State painters have been in this city the last two days marking the posts on Second and other state highways which will go through this city. The white background was completed and the black letters will be stamped later. Most of the work done was on route sixteen.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Vicker left Friday for Jacksonville, Fla., where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. L. W. Jenkins and little daughter of Detroit, who have been in this city visiting with relatives have gone to Nokomis for a short visit. They will return to this city before leaving for Detroit.

RAIDED RESIDENCE.

Chief of Police A. L. Reed and Officers George Fischer, Mollie Murray and Ed M. Snider made another raid, this time on the residence of John Rogus, No. 10 West Orange street, in search of "white mule," which it is alleged Rogus had been selling.

The officers obtained five pints of mule and a barrel of mash, which was confiscated, and held for evidence.

Rogus was arraigned before Judge T. D. Kelligar and held under $500 bond for the city grand jury. Rogus gave bond and was released.

IVESDALE SOCIETY TO SERVE DINNER

Ivesdale, Nov. 24—The Altar society of St. Joseph's church will serve a dinner at twelve o'clock in the Knights of Columbus hall Thanksgiving day at fifty cents a plate.

The menu will be roast goose and chicken, mashed potatoes, dressing, gravy, sweet potatoes, cranberries, celery, peas, rolls, pie and coffee.

The card party will start at eight o'clock in the evening. Lunch will be served.

The card party held in the town hall Tuesday evening was well attended. Prizes were won by Mrs. A. Sherlock, Mrs. J. Boland, Tom Cain, Sr., and E. J. Tabaka. The next one will be held Tuesday, Dec. 4, and Misses Mary Concanun, Nellie Corcoran and Bridget Burns will be hostesses. Lunch will be served.

Mrs. Mary Cain is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Matt Grennan, in Mattoon.

Tom and John Fox visited their sister, Madame Marie, in Monticello, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stout, Mrs. C. J. Tabaka and M. Maley motored to Bloomington Wednesday.

Mrs. M. Cody and daughter Catherine of Arcola were Ivesdale visitors Wednesday.

Dr. C. L. Gallivan passed Thursday in Champaign with relatives.

Mrs. Otis Wiggins and Mrs. F. T. Gallivan of Bement visited Mrs. Johanna Gallivan Thursday.

Mrs. John Polk and son of Savoy were business callers Thursday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Sev Alblinger, Wednesday, Nov. 21, a son.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cahill, Tuesday, Nov. 22, a son.

Mrs. J. Burns and daughter Madonna were Champaign visitors Wednesday.

Bruce Manning of Decatur was a business caller Wednesday.

Clyde Davis is ill with tonsilitis at his home near Bondville.

Miss M. Sunderland was a Champaign visitor Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Brya and daughter and Miss Margaret Butler were Champaign visitors Thursday.

Misses Bernadine Tabaka and Dorothea Hicks passed Friday in Decatur.

QUITS CITY JOB FOR I. C. RAILROAD

Clinton Officer Goes on As Special Agent.

Clinton, Nov. 24.—The formal resignation of Night Captain of Police, Mark Mercer, handed in to the board Friday, came as a surprise to members of that body, although Captain Mercer has been contemplating the change for several weeks and had talked the matter over with Chief Minor and the mayor. Mr. Mercer's resignation is preparatory to entering the service of the Illinois Central as special agent and he is to assume his new duties of that office Sunday. His successor has not been appointed.

Mr. Mercer is fast making a name for himself in his work and his studies along the line of criminology has forced his recognition as one of the most expert in this vicinity. Mr. Mercer gives as his reason for making the change an opportunity for advancement being greater with the railroad. He will continue to reside in Clinton.

OUT OF THE RUNNING.

Enrico Biannucci, member of the Clinton high school football team probably will be out of the game for the remainder of the season, as the result of injuries received in the Springfield game last week. What was at first believed to be a badly bruised or strained back was found upon examination later to be caused by three slightly misplaced vertebrae. It is not believed, however, that the injury will result seriously.

A new crossing has been installed at Kenney where the Pennsylvania line intersects the Illinois Central, forty men being engaged in the work which required almost an entire day. The crossing is of a new design of solid steel construction.

STOCKHOLDERS MEET.

At the last meeting of the stockholders of the Clinton Country club, held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms, three directors were elected to fill the vacancies caused by the retirement of directors. They were J. Q. Lewis, H. A. Campbell and C. M. Warner.

NEW PLACE FOR STILL.

Sheriff Bert Taylo and deputies located a still in the reservoir of the kitchen range at the home of Frank Clark, a negro, Thursday night. They also found a gallon of white mule. Clark was arrested late Tuesday night for being implicated in the shooting affray at the Ford home on George street, in which one negro lost his life and another wounded.

SELLARS-CRAIG.

Vernon Sellars and Miss Hazel Craig, both of Clinton were united in marriage Friday by Judge John Bedinger. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Craig of North Alexander street.

MASTER TAKES EVIDENCE.

Master-in-Chancery Grover Watson took evidence Friday in the case of Pearl vs. Tobin. This is a partition suit in the estate of Mary Tobin, a sister of Nicholas Pearl of Clinton, who died in Sioux City, Ia., a few weeks ago.

Judge Sentel will come to Clinton Monday, Nov. 26, to hold court for three days, at which time the Jefferson Doyle estate case will come up.

H. H. Burch, secretary of the Clinton Chamber of Commerce, has accepted an invitation to speak at the Forum dinner of the Chamber of Commerce in Paxton, Ill., on Nov. 30.

NOMINATIONS MADE.

The nominating board of the Clinton Kiwanis club has chosen Roy H. Johnson as president; Grover C. Hoff, vice president; H. M. Gleadell, treasurer; Peter Lundh, assistant secretary and treasurer. The election will take place Wednesday evening instead of Thursday of next week, due to the regular meeting day being on Thanksgiving.

The nominating board is composed of John Bedinger, W. F. Gray, C. S. Bogardus, L. F. Slick, E. F. Harrison, Fred Magdsick, Walter Knowles.

ANNUAL SMOKER MONDAY.

Plans are nearing completion for the annual smoker and rabbit supper of Crang-Bennett Post, American Legion, to be held Monday evening in the Chamber of Commerce rooms.

The annual election of officers will follow the program.

FORMER RESIDENT DEAD.

Lyle Rittenhouse, formerly of Santa Anna township, died in the Mennonite hospital in Bloomington Friday, following an operation for appendicitis a few days ago. Mr. Rittenhouse was twenty-one years of age and is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Rittenhouse, two sisters, Mrs. Carl Reeser of Weldon and Mrs. Walter Fuller of Dewitt, and one brother, Elman, stationed at San Antonio, Tex., with the U. S. army aviation unit.

STEWARDSON.

Joseph Spearman and wife moved to their new home on East Main street Wednesday.

The revival meeting at the Methodist church here closed Sunday night. Several new additions have been made to the church during this meeting.

Frank Shumard and family of St. Elmo, Ill., visited Mr. Shumard's mother here Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Falk of near this city is in the Shelbyville Memorial hospital, where she underwent an operation.

Alfred Elmer of Indianapolis, Ind., spent last Sunday with his parents in this city.

Floyd Whitacre and family of Vandalia, Ill., visited his parents, Johnson Whitacre and wife, in this city the first of the week.

Von Storm from Detroit, Mich., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Storm, here the fore part of the week.

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HINDSBORO HAS ELECTRIC LIGHTS

Hindsboro, Nov. 24.—Last Sunday night the Central Illinois Public Service company turned the electricity on for the first time and those who were connected up in their places of business and homes received lights from the high tension line from Oakland for the first time Monday night. The street lights were turned on and made quite a difference in the town. The C. I. P. S. Co. was demonstrating various uses of up-to-date articles for the shop and home this week at O. L. Bradford's Battery station. Saturday the women of the Christian church served doughnuts and coffee at the demonstration.

COMMUNITY LIFE CLUB.

Several from here attended the Community Life club at the Jack Oak school house east of town Wednesday night. The following program was given:

Quartet—Sones, Schaffer, Watson and Braham, Hindsboro.

Readings—Miss Amos of Oakland.

Solo—A. M. Sones, Hindsboro.

Reading—Miss Williams, Hindsboro.

Talk—Prof. Fulwider, Oakland.

Refreshments of sandwiches, pickles and coffee were served to the large crowd present.

High school was dismissed Friday for the faculty to attend high school conference in Champaign.

Mrs. Marguerite Heinlein was hostess for the Embroidery club Thursday afternoon.

On Friday night, Nov. 23, the Duffle school gave a box supper and prizes were given. Miss Helen Eversole is teacher.

Mrs. P. S. Sisler and Mr. and Mrs. Will Powers motored to Decatur Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bradford were Charleston callers Thursday afternoon.

W. A. Petty and family moved to the Morris Bradford farm Thursday.

Mrs. Everett Roderick has been quite sick for the last three weeks at her home, half mile west of town.

Mrs. John Wilson returned home Monday evening after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. P. H. Cage of Peoria. Mrs. Cage and little son accompanied her home for a few weeks' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter Hayes of Kemp are the parents of a son, born Sunday. He has been named William Carter.

MEN SEE FAT CATTLE AT MECHANICSBURG

Mechanicsburg, Nov. 24.—Twenty automobile loads of men from different parts of the state passed through here Wednesday on their way to Buffalo, where the women of the Christian church served dinner for them. Their real objective points, however, were the stock farms of E. P. Hall and Dan Waters, which they visited in the afternoon, to see the fat stock these men have ready for shipment to the International Live Stock show in Chicago.

Miss Helen Hall and P. L. Hall were Springfield callers Wednesday.

The W. H. M. S. met at the Methodist Episcopal church Wednesday afternoon, sixteen ladies were present.

Mrs. O. S. Lobdill spent a few days in Springfield with relatives and friends.

Mesdames Will Armstrong, John Fullenwider and Miss Pauline Gragg spent Tuesday evening with Mrs. Ivy Bradley, east of town.

The Ladies' Aid met all day Thursday with the president, Mrs. John Astermacire. [illegible] dinner was served.

E. L. Sparrow of Hagerstown, Md., spent a few days this week here.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Ed Williams at Illiopolis Thursday.

Mrs. W. F. Jacobs and daughter Blossom were in Springfield Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Hovey motored to Springfield Thursday.

NIANTIC.

The Loyal Woman's [illegible] of the Christian church met with Mrs. Albert Woodell Friday afternoon.

Mrs. John Kitch left Wednesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Dookin, at Connell, Texas.

Mrs. Lindsey Farnam of [illegible] is visiting Mrs. Rachel Farnam.

Mrs. Margaret Stapleton of [illegible] olis visited Mrs. Edward Conner Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl [illegible] attended a dance at Forsyth Tuesday evening. George Seelig and George Green assisted with the music.

The teachers of the High school here attended the Teachers' Convention Friday at Champaign.

Mrs. C. Monical was a Decatur visitor Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Caves of [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. Samuel [illegible] Lawrence of LeRoy visited [illegible] and Mrs. John Peak this week.

[illegible] and Mrs. John Moranz, Mrs. [illegible] and Mrs. John Moranz of [illegible] visited Mrs. Rachel Farnam [illegible] Alta Walker this week.

Mrs. James Knox was a Decatur visitor Friday.

Tom Boy! Tom Boy!

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PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Archie Carter	[illegible] Limes	Homer Shaw	Grace McDaniel
[illegible]	[illegible]	Velma Abel	Charles Schoonover
[illegible]	Kathleen Timmons	Evelyn Farras	Ruth Helm
[illegible]	Richard Campion	Mollie Louise Grace	Beron Doren
Gladys Carey	Herbert Dady	Nellie Pitzpatrick	Kenneth Gregory
Maxine [illegible]	Donald Pierce	Myrtle Rost	Gerald Hinds
Dorothy Loams	Tilton Rose	Frances Reed	Harold Hinds
Helen Mason	Lela Frampton	Joey Adams	Paul Kitch
[illegible]	[illegible] Harris	Raymond Dady	Andrew Limes
Marie Heintze	Mary Ellen Smith	Martin Marguet	Robert Lovins
Robert [illegible]	Virginia Weise	Fred Pennington	Harland Malott
Edgar Dettenbaugh	Carrol Burrow	Mae Helm	George Pierce
Ermon Jackson	Hazel James	Blanche Ramsey	Samuel Van Horn
Iva [illegible]	Golda Maddy	Mildred Staples	Marium Brennan
Cleo Carter	Ruth Moir	Carl George	Ruth Carter
Herbert Anderson	Alfred Harris	Robert Powell	Anna V. Lindsey
Arthur Erdman	Noel Hudson	Agnes Curry	Evelyn Milligan
Ralph Rehfelt	Marian Chaille	Charlotte Drum	Helen Thompson
Loren Russ	Aliece Jackson	Pauline Lamb	Jack Thomason

SCHOOL HELPERS

Jasper School has a long list of helpers. Some run errands, some ring the bell, while others play in the orchestra. Every one is more than willing to help. Our school month is divided into four weeks.

The first week of the month room nine takes care of bell hall duty and errands. Room eight does this work the second week, room seven the third week and room six the fourth week.

The following pupils have been appointed as helpers

ROOM NINE.

George Pierce	[illegible] Sisler
Ora Kepler	Fern Graybeal
Robert Lovins	Pauline Brum.
Marium Brennan	Myron Anderson
Naomi Bain	Helen Thompson
Paul Kitch	Austin Tickell
Doris Wasson	Dorothy Adrian
Andrew Limes	William Dunham
Gerald Hinds	Floyd Ohlsen
Harold Hinds	Anna V. Lindsey

ROOM EIGHT.

Aliece Jackson	Noel Hudson
Margaret Fitzpatrick	Harold Sherman
Lorraine Wilkinson	Charles Schoonover
Esther Lalal	Ruth Helm
Nanna Hanson	Helen Pero
Clydetta Richardson	Leonard Winter
Leona Freeman	Warren Charvat
Leslie Hammond	Luella Eckhart
Marian Chaille	Leonora Moran
James Casey	Delmar Gibbens

ROOM SEVEN.

Ruth Moir	Virginia Rickey
Lucille Hebel	Lela Mathews
Mona Finley	Mary M. Fitzpatrick
Virgil Lane	John Mayberry
Dorothy Shroll	Carrol Burrow
George Warren	Eloise Siebert
Frederick Haines	Frank Hoffman
Marry Rost	Carl Maddy
Bessie Hinton	Thelma Barnes
Beulah Atkins	Golda Maddy

ROOM SIX.

Ruth Cox	Howard Frazier
Herbert Dady	Mary Ellen Smith
Russell Dunham	Rosemary Sherman
Richard Campion	Donald Pierce
Elizabeth Jane Coyd	Faye Luke
Fred Sullivan	Donald Rogers
Robert Hathaway	Robert Hall
Leonard Kuhn	Roscoe Brown
Harold Midifer	Mable Arthalony
Donald Singleton	Joseph Johnson

ORCHESTRA.

Miss Hosier, piano. Jennie Shiess, violin. Ferne Graybeal, violin. Paul Kitch, drums.

PIANO.

Byron Doren. Fern Graybea.

BELL.

Anna V. Lindsey	Jennie Shiess
Ferne Graybeal	Marium Brennan
Reba Steele	Nellie Williams

LETTER SENT TO MISS JANE HAMAND

Jasper School,
Nov. 19, 1923.

Miss Jane E. Hamand,
Schaller, Iowa.

My Dear Miss Hamand,

The children in our room celebrated Childrens' Book Week by visiting the Decatur Public Library.

While there Mrs. Evans took us through the Lincoln room and let us see the exhibit which you gave to the library. We think it is wonderful. We wish to thank you for your earnest efforts in collecting such a wonderful exhibit and placing it in the library so that all Decatur children may have a chance to see it.

Sincerely yours,
SIXTH GRADE.
Jasper School.

(This is a copy of a letter mailed to Miss Hamand, by the Sixth grade).

WIDE AWAKE ENTERTAINERS

At Jasper School we have the Wide Awake Entertainers. Most of them are members of the Jasper School Fathers' Club.

September 21 a number of the Fathers' Club members entertained their wives and the Jasper School teachers to a dinner dance at the Staley Club House. This party was a re-welcome to the old teachers and a get-acquainted party for the five new teachers.

On October 17 the Fathers' Club entertained the Mothers' Club and teachers at the school house. After an interesting program, mostly furnished by members of the Fathers' Club, refreshments were served in the basement school room.

This should prove these men are wide-awake. Friday, November 16, Mr. K. Sherman with the help of a few of his brotherly friends, entertained fifty of his friends, including the Jasper school teachers, to a quail, rabbit, and wild duck supper at the Staley club house. Every one considers himself fortunate to attend these parties and is surely appreciating them.

NEW PUPILS FROM OUTSIDE DECATUR

The following children from schools outside the city, have entered the Jasper school this year:

Marium Brennan—Bloomington, Ill.
Ora Kepler—Bloomington, Ill.
Samuel VanHorn—Peoria, Ill.
Jack Thompson—Shelbyville, Ill.
Viola Pritchett—Pana, Ill.
Joseph Johnson—Villa Grove, Ill.
Gilbert Pritchett—Pana, Ill.
Mary Elizabeth Alsbury—Bloomington, Ill.
Leonard Scroggins—Vandalia, Ill.
Eldon Scroggins—Vandalia, Ill.
Bonnie Shepherd, Niantic, Ill.
Wilma Hinton—Moweaqua, Ill.
Frank Hoffman—Terre Haute, Ind.
Bessie Hinton—Moweaqua, Ill.
Charles Carter—Connersville, Tenn
Thelma Barnes—Mattoon, Ill.
James Gle—Brownsville, Tenn.
Alberta Barnes—Mattoon, Ill.
Clifford Dill—Buffalo, Ill.
Cleo Carter—Connersville, Tenn.
Marie Heintze—Pittsburgh, Penn.
William Hedden—Blue Mound, Ill.
Raymond Moore—Cerro Gordo, Ill.
Elmer Scroggins—Vandalia, Ill.
Lawrence Watson—Arthur, Ill.
Velma Abel—Villa Grove, Ill.
Louise Coyle—Sanderson, Texas.
Lillian Morey—Sullivan, Ill.
Arthur Cherry—West Palm Beach, Fla.
Raymond Hill—Peoria, Ill.
Kenneth Manley—Ramsey, Ill
Lawrence Merker—Bement, Ill.

ROBINSON CRUSO SAND-TABLE MADE

Our class read the story of Robinson Crusoe. After the book was read a sandtable was made. On it was built Robinson's cabin. It was in front of a cave in some large stones that were the mountains. There was a double fence in the shape of a semi-circle around the house. This fence had no gate, but there was a ladder to climb over it. Outside was his garden, trees, and his summer home. There was the ocean with Robinson's boat on it. Behind a hill was the boat he had built, but could not get to the ocean. On the shore was Robinson Crusoe, with his servant, Friday, his dog, and his cats watching for a ship. 3A.

Rotten Sportsmanship.

In the Millikin Wesleyan game there was a fight between the two teams. Our teacher talked about it to the class. She said that each team was to blame. One side started the fight and the other was not slow in following. We think that if one team did start a fight the other team should not keep it up. We hope when we get in college we will have a clean football team. If Millikin keeps it up I think we would not like to go to that college.

HAROLD HINDS, 6A.

A Friend to All

Mr. Hargis is lost to us. Mr. Hargis of the ready smile and scores of friends.

He was the friend of every boy and girl in Jasper School. No member of our Fathers' Club worked any harder then Mr. Hargis. Whenever any work was to be done, he was always there to help.

That his life should have been cut off in its prime seems very sad to us.

Life would always have been rich and new for him. It is hard to think that he will not have the opportunity to test all that it might have contained.

MARIUM BRENNAN, 6A.

OUR PLANTS

The fifth grade of Jasper school has many beautiful plants. Our teacher bought four large ferns. One girl bought us a beautiful Jerusalem Cherry plant. Some other children bought geraniums. They are blooming now.

We have some Narcissus bulbs growing in rocks. We hope they will bloom by Thanksgiving.

The children painted the pots green. I think our plants make the room cheerful.

ALIECE JACKSON, 5A.

JASPER SCHOOL HAS ORCHESTRA

Plays For Lines To March In And Out.

The Jasper school has an excellent orchestra. It plays for the lines to march in and out. Fern Graybeal plays the piano; Jennie Shiess the voilin, and Paul Kitch drums. We think Paul is the best drummer in town. We just can't get out of step when he steps on that drum. Paul got a new drum recently, which is a beauty. He is earning the money himself to pay for it.

The orchestra played at the last meeting of the Fathers' and Mothers' clubs. Everyone enjoyed it. We are very proud of our orchestra.

HELEN THOMPSON, 6B.

The Armistice Parade.

This year the Armistice Parade was more quiet than last year.

The Wabash float won the first prize and the Aeroplane won second prize.

The Illinois traction put out a street car with girls in it.

Another good float was the one about "Help the Helpless."

The thing that I liked best in the parade was the first part about the soldiers with the helmets, guns and things. ANNA LINDSEY, 6A.

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POEMS

Our Bell.

When Nellie goes in at the door,
I know that we will play no more.
I know our play is at an end,
And we in school our time must spend.
But when the clock strikes half-past ten.
Then Nellie rings the bell again.
And when I'm halfway through my game,
I hear a noise that sounds the same.
And then the teacher, she will yell,
"You act as though we had no bell."
Oh, she's mad, you just can bet,
And the next recess in our seats we "set."—DORIS E. WASSON, 6B.

Thanksgiving.

We have a big fat turkey,
He looks so nice and fine,
And we just hate to kill him,
At Thanksgiving time.

A Thanksgiving Rhyme.

Our big fat gobbler
He struts all around.
But Thanksgiving we'll eat him
When company comes from town.

A Happy Thought.

Sunshine and showers,
Bring forth pretty flowers.
To make the world happy
And shorten the hours.

Winter.

Icy wind and winter snow
Kill the pretty flowers that grow;
And make the leaves play hide-and-seek,
But he leaves one rose on every cheek.

LORRAINE WILKINSON.

The Meaning of Jasper.

J—is for joy in every room.
A—is for Attention we try to assume.
S—is for study, do it well,
P—is for practice which always will tell.
E—is for every kind word we say,
R—is for the right that wins alway.

NANNA HANSON, 5A.

Sing a song, a song of posies,
Pocket-full of salve;
I wonder how many injuries
The football boys have.

LEOND WINTER, 5B.

Violin Class.

We have a violin class in Jasper school. There are two boys and three girls. There is one boy from the fifth grade and four from the sixth grade. We will enjoy hearing these people play when they learn how. The teacher is Mrs. Townsend of Millikin University. They take their lesson Wednesday at eleven o'clock. The children pay twenty-five cents for one lesson. Some of the children took last year and are going to play in orchestras this year.

The names of the beginners are Anna Lindsy, Roscoe Brown.

FLOYD OHLSEN 6A

CHILDREN'S BOOK WEEK OBSERVED

Fifth Grade Makes Visit to Public Library.

Thursday, November the fifteenth, the fifth grade class of the Jasper school observed Children's Book Week by visiting the public library. When we entered the library we went to the children's room. We then took our places at the table and began looking at books and magazines while waiting for Mrs. Evans, the librarian. Some of the children took out cards and others who had cards took books.

When Mrs. Evans arrived she took us to the Lincoln Room. There we saw many pictures and statues of Lincoln. We also saw his metals, books, pictures of the Rutledge family and the watch that Lincoln bought in 1785. We also saw Lincoln's grammar which is now worth $5,000.

After Mrs. Evans had shown us Lincoln's room, she took us downstairs and showed us the tables full of children's books. The names of some of the books were "Hans Anderson's Fairy Tales," "Robinson Crusoe", "Poems of Childhood," "The Peter Pan Picture Book," and "The Arabian Nights." On the way back to school we made a visit to Haines and Essick's window and saw more interesting books. Some of the names of these books are: "Man in the Moon," "Animal Stories," "To My Mother" and "Little Snow White." The children thought them all very wonderful and hoped they would get some of the splendid books they saw for Christmas presents.

CLYDETTA RICHARDSON, 5A.

CAUTION!

This morning we heard something quite interesting. We think it will interest everyone. Miss Mead told us. A policeman told Miss Mead to warn all the children to stay off of the play apparatus at night. Not only the children but everyone else is to stay off. We are warning you that if you don't want to go to jail you had better stay off of the play apparatus at night. We are proud of our new play things and wish to take care of them. We hope you will help us. —2-A Grade.

Our Chinese Exhibit.

We have a Chinese exhibit on our bulletin board, consisting of a hand embroidered table cloth, two handkerchiefs and two pairs of chop sticks.

These were brought from China by two Chinese students of the Millikin university.—Marium Brennan, 6-A.

OUR MOTHERS' CLUB PICTURE

Given To Room Having Most Mothers Present At Meeting.

Our Mothers' Club has a nice picture, which is given to the room having the most mothers present at each meeting. The first month our room had the most mothers present, next time Miss Morrow's room was the lucky one, and the third time it was a tie—three rooms having the same number present, so each of the three rooms get the picture one third of the time till next meeting, when we hope to win it again.

At the close of the school year, the room having the picture the most times during the year is given the picture. The name of this picture is "Song of the Morning." The mothers will buy a new one next year.

PAULINE BRUMMITT 6B

BOYS GLEE CLUB

Eight boys of the fifth grade are members of the Glee Club. The names of the boys are: Harold Sherman, Noel Hudson, Leslie Hammond, Charles Schoonover, Delmer Gibbens, James Casey, Leonard Winter, and Slestin Whicker.

The boys practice every Monday evening at Mary W. French School. We practice for one hour.

We learned two songs last week. There are more than one hundred boys in the Glee Club. Miss Irons is our music teacher.

SLESTIN WHICKER, 5A.

The Surprise.

When our teacher is called out of the room some one is left to act as teacher. We usually sit and study quietly but one afternoon when she returned most of us were hurrying back to our seats. She was much surprised at the noise but more surprised when she saw the apples, oranges and pears which we had arranged on the desk for her.

She thanked us and said she was pleased to be thought of so kindly.

JEANETTE LOEB, 5B.

JOKES

If there were three frogs on a log, and one took a notion to jump off, how many would be on the log? Three. The frog just took a notion, he didn't jump.

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Teacher—"Go to the room across the hall and bring me a dumb-bell."

Pupil—"I can do that all right."

Quite Proper.

She: "That girl accepts rings from men she doesn't know."

He: "How can she?"

She: "Has to. She's a telephone girl."

Evelyn Dowell

The second grade of Jasper School was sorry to hear of the death of one of their former school mates, Evelyn Dowell. Little Evelyn started to school last September with us [illegible] in the 1B. She was one of our best workers. In February she was promoted to the 1A and was sick [illegible] until June, when she became ill in September when school opened we were sorry that she could not come. [illegible] never improved and last week four of our fifth grade girls helped to lay her to rest.

2B AND 2A.

PLAY PROGRESSIVE DODGE BALL

Our room has a game called Progressive Dodge Ball which we enjoy playing very much.

The room is divided into three groups called Reds, Whites and Blues. The object is for the player on one side to hit some player on another side with a ball. When a person on either side is hit it scores one against that side.

The Reds won Monday. They were hit four times, the Whites were hit eight times, and the Blues were hit nine times.—Gerald Hinds, 6A

OUR LIBRARY

Our library contains two hundred thirty-six books. We like our library because it helps us to read better and it also helps us with our history and geography.

It is on the second floor of the building.

All the children who can read take books.

The following are the books which the sixth grade likes best:

Nomads of the North
Treasure Island
Gold Hunters
Young Pitcher
Valley of Silent Men
Kazan.
Six Star Ranch
Cinderella.
Five Little Peppers
Viking Tales
Tarzan of the Apes
Toby Tyler.
Lost Island.
Son of Tarzan
Isle of Los Filips
Hans Brinker.
Chip of Flying W.
Old Fashioned Girl
Little Maid of Bunker Hill
The Counterpane Fairy.

REBA STEELE, 6A.

Quite Serious

Sondags Nisse (Stockholm): "Your wife is looking well!"

"Yes. Just fancy. When I took her to the sanatorium she was so bad that I wouldn't risk buying a return ticket!"

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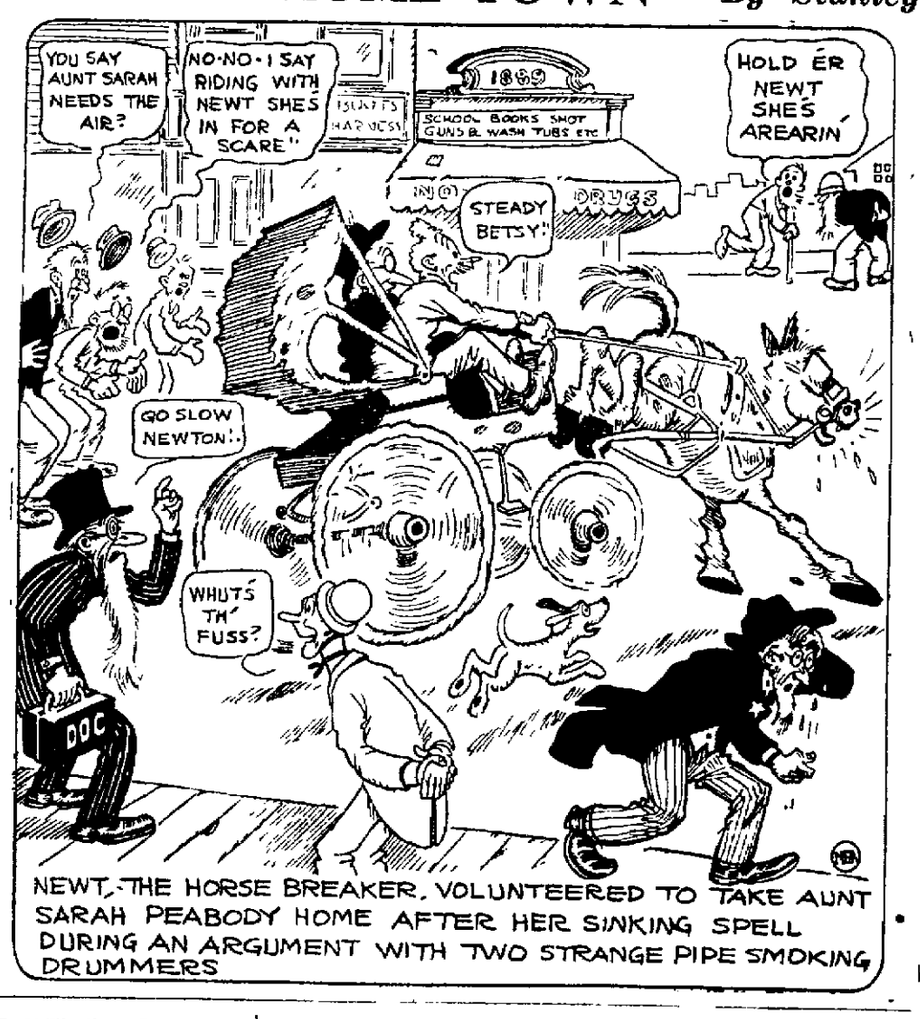
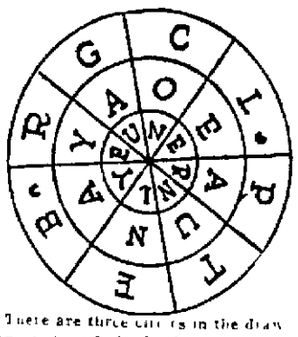
THE WAY OF A MAID.

THE OLD HOME TOWN By Stanley



NEWT, THE HORSE BREAKER, VOLUNTEERED TO TAKE AUNT SARAH PEABODY HOME AFTER HER SINKING SPELL DURING AN ARGUMENT WITH TWO STRANGE PIPE SMOKING DRUMMERS

A PUZZLE A DAY



There are three circles in the drawing and each is divided into eight sections with a letter in each section. Thus there are eight "rows" or "columns" each containing three letters. Some of these rows spell words "par" "tur" "bay," and these are those which appear. By revolving the circles separately new words may be formed. Can you turn the circles to a position where every row will spell a word of three letters?

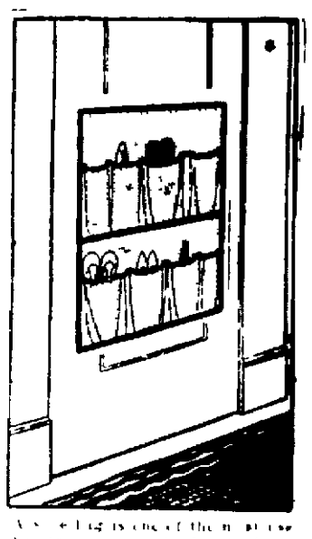
Yesterday's answer:

If a clock strike three as it while a cuckoo clock made two, the last stroke of the ringing clock came to a cuckoo and was followed by two more cuckoos; the hour was five o'clock.

This problem is solved by [illegible] the intervals between the strokes. When the first clock strikes [illegible] there are two intervals while the cuckoo clock has one interval [illegible] striking two. Thus a [illegible] heard on the 5th clock stroke [illegible] cuckoo on the third stroke and [illegible] third [illegible] stroke which leaves the last [illegible] cuckoos (et to be [illegible]

CHRISTMAS GIFTS

SHOE BAG



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EVERETT TRUE— By Condo

OUR BOARDING HOUSE By Ahern

THE MAJOR AT ONE TIME WAS AN ACCOMPLISHED MUSICIAN —

OUT OUR WAY By Williams

SOMETHING TO LIVE FOR

TAKEN FROM LIFE— By Martin

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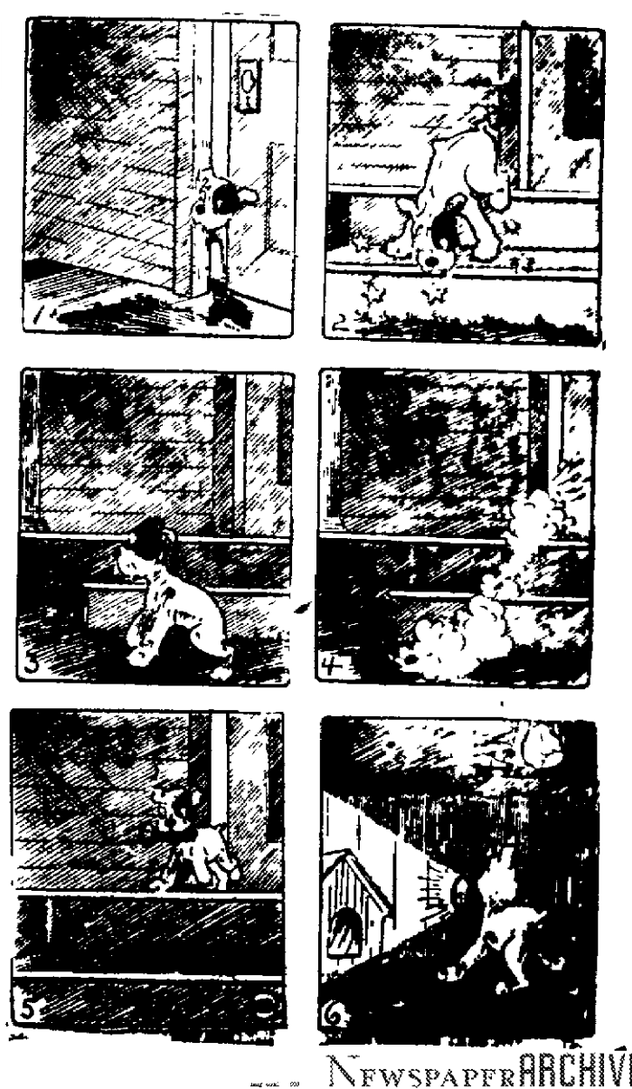

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LEAKY INFIELD BEAT DETROIT

Fred Haney, Tiger Player Admits That Was Trouble.

BY JOHN B. FOSTER.

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New York, Nov. 24.—Here's an infielders—Fred Haney of the Detroit Tigers—who says his club lost its headway in the American league race because of a leaky infield. It is not often that you'll get a player on a team which has not met expectations to offer an opinion about its weaknesses. And it's less often that you'll get one to admit that it was the department in which he was playing that fell down.

But Haney does—and his opinion coincides exactly with that experts who do not play Haney should know whereof he speaks, for he tried nearly every position in the infield during the season. Incidentally he did fairly well at everything he attempted, but showed the most promise at second, where he finished the season.

HURT TEAMWORK

The constant shifting of players in Detroit boiled up the teamwork so that it clogged like a cultivator in a clay field. Only one infielder—Blue at first base—stuck to his position throughout the season, and he met so many different combinations that naturally his work was not at its best.

But it was not mental failure of the players that brought calamity to the Tiger infield. It was physical breakdowns. Cutshaw went to the hospital and remained there, while Jones and Rigney had their full share of hurts. And Haney was not without his troubles. If there is no other second baseman available, Haney perhaps will be called upon to play there but it looks as if he does not crave the job. Pratt was taken from Boston because Cobb had a notion that Pratt could come back and play second as well as he did for the Yanks in 1921. But Pratt did not come through. If he shows no more in 1924 than he did last season, he will be headed for the minors.

DETROIT HURLERS

[illegible] seems that the Detroit pitchers will be with the top-notchers in 1924, if they get good infield support. Dauss made a wonderful [illegible] in 1923, and was [illegible] victories out [illegible] starts in 1923, but it [illegible] another way. Haney says a weak [illegible] to poor infield support [illegible] to Dauss' poor pitching. Again Mr. Haney is one of character [illegible] who holds the [illegible] up to scorn as a blooming [illegible].

[illegible] Truthful [illegible] John Oldham of Detroit will [illegible] a best pitchers if not the best in the league, in 1924. Some [illegible] will be the high [illegible] Pennock and [illegible] over him and besides [illegible] were hard. Still [illegible] a creditable record. [illegible] much better next [illegible] Dauss will have to [illegible] the leaders [illegible] and girls Detroit, [illegible] 1924. He is on [illegible] If he does not [illegible] break a bone. In [illegible] Detroit pitchers [illegible] owners can [illegible] 8, each may take [illegible].

47 YARD KICK TRIMS VIATOR

Eureka Closes Season with 10 to 7 Triumph.

Eureka, Ill., Nov. 24.—Everett Patelski, the Sophomore halfback from Aurora, who booted over a 52-yard drop kick at Augustana last week, came through with another beauty from the 47-yard line here Friday to give Eureka a 10 to 7 victory over the strong St. Viator eleven.

It was one of the most beautiful kicks ever seen on the local field and closed the Eureka season in fitting style, for none of the local supporters gave McKenzie's men more than a chance to hold the powerful Crangle team to a low score.

BITTER BATTLE.

The Eureka-St. Viator mill was a bitterly fought tiff, and the result was in doubt at every stage.

Eureka scored first, taking advantage of two recovered fumbles, one by A. Driver on a blocked punt, netting thirty-five yards. The fleet Ranes dashed around the Irish left end for twenty yards, carrying the ball to the one-yard line, from where the bulky Whittler carried it across. Patelski kicked the goal for the additional point.

St. Viator came back like tigers, however, and, using the open game to good advantage, soon tied the count, a long forward pass to J. Winterhalter putting the visitors in position to score. They gained their fourth down by inches—one yard from the Eureka goal—and on the second play Farrell smashed over for a touchdown.

DEADLOCKED AT HALF.

The half ended 7 to 7 and St. Viator had the edge in the third quarter, although neither team came close to scoring.

A rush at the beginning of the fourth quarter was halted by St. Viator on the 40-yard line and Patelski dropped back for the seemingly impossible. His boot was as true as a dye, and although the Irish rained passes all over the field in the remaining 11 minutes they could not break down McKenzie's defense. D. Driver intercepting a long pass on the 5-yard line just as the whistle sounded, ending the game.

A FITTING CLOSE.

The victory over the heavy Bourbonnais eleven came as a glorious finish for McKenzie and his men. The former all-conference fullback has had to string along with a small squad all year, and has had more than his share of bad breaks, and the win today was a fine tribute to the excellent work he has been doing all season.

It was the last game on Eureka field for Capt. Wroughton, Whittler, and the two Drivers, and all four covered themselves with glory in their valedictory.

DISTINCT UPSET.

Ranes at half played a brilliant game while Wagner and Merrill did excellent work in the line.

St. Viators defeat was a distinct upset, but Eureka played its tightest game of the season and played excellent football throughout. The Bourbonnais players fought gamely but could not overcome the lead Patelski gave his team.

Summary:

St. Viators	Position	Eureka
Barrett	L. E.	Wroughton (c)
Best	L. T.	Engles
F. Pfeffer	L. G.	Merrill
V. Pfeffer	C.	Tweddale
Riley	R. G.	King
Murphy (c)	R. T.	Wagner
J. Winterhalter	R. E.	A. Driver
Majors	Q. B.	O. Driver
McGinnis	L. H.	Patelski
L. Winterhalter	R. H.	Ranes
Farrell	F. B.	Whittler

Substitutions—McAllister for Best; Best for McAllister; Neville for J. Winterhalter, J. Winterhalter for Neville.

Score by quarters—

Eureka	7	0	0	3	—10
St. Viators	0	7	0	0	— 7

Touchdowns—Whittler, Farrell.
Goals after touchdowns—Patelski, Majors.
Goal from field—Patelski.
Referee—Young, (Illinois Wesleyan).
Umpire—Millard (Illinois Wesleyan).
Head linesman—Allen (Bradley).

"We Wanted Hornsby, but Now We Are Through," Says Veeck

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 24—William Wrigley, Jr., chief owner of the Chicago Nationals, Friday said he had no knowledge of any deal to bring Rogers Hornsby, star National league slugger, from St. Louis to the Cubs. A story that a deal had been negotiated for Hornsby involving five players and $100,000 cash was published here today.

Mr. Wrigley said he knew "absolutely nothing" about the story that a deal had been negotiated for Hornsby and that Kid Gleason, former manager of the Chicago Americans, had been signed as coach.

"I know we'd like to have Hornsby mighty well, and President Veeck tried to get him some time ago, but I thought the dicker had dropped through," said Mr. Wrigley.

CUBS MADE BID.

French Lick, Ind., Nov. 24—William Veeck, president of the Chicago National league club, denied today that the Cubs were conducting negotiations for the purchase of Rogers Hornsby from the St. Louis Nationals.

"We made our bid for Hornsby and they turned it down," said Veeck. "We wanted him, but now we are through," Mr. Veeck added.

Veeck also said he knew nothing of the story that "Kid" Gleason, former Chicago manager, was to be signed as coach for the Cubs.

GREAT BOXER'S HEALTH FAILS

JIMMY WILDE.

London physicians have found a bad spot on the lungs of Jimmy Wilde, former flyweight champion of the world, and the little mite from Wales has been ordered to hang up the gloves for good.

CHAMPION LYNCH IN K. O. FOR PEORIANS

Peoria, Ill., Nov. 24.—Joe Lynch, world's bantamweight champion, knocked out Frankie Murray of Shreveport, La., in the fifth round of a scheduled ten-round bout here Friday night.

Lynch was master of the situation throughout, although Muray opened a slashing attack in the first round. In the fourth round Lynch cut loose with a volley of rights and a hook to the jaw that floored Murray for the count of nine. He was up at the bell. A left hook to the jaw in the early part of the fifth round was the knockout punch.

Mike Brody, local 116-pounder, held an edge over "Babe" Barron of Chicago in the six-round opener.

Harry Kabakaoff of St. Louis knocked out Joey Silvers of New York in the second round of a scheduled ten-round bout.

"Fighting Mike" O'Dowd of Columbus won a shade over Jimmy Russo of St. Louis in ten rounds of fast fighting.

BOWLING

HANDICAP LEAGUE.

SHULICE TOPS.

Player	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Shulke	152	168	191	511	170
Widick	201	154	184	569	190
A. Dombroski	161	149	185	494	165
O. Dombroski	169	153	175	496	165
Weis	135	135	161	454	151
Total	937	858	899	2524	

PICKUPS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Stout	167	155	190	512	171
Haas	131	164	181	476	159
Busch	134	148	168	449	147
Heller (H)	160	160	160	480	160
Hurt	155	157	164	476	159
Handicap	33	33	33		
Total	780	817	886	2383	

High individual score—Ab Widick, 201; high individual average, Ab Widick, 190.

HEIL & MOLLMANS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Frahiman	169	181	138	488	163
Conklin	149	160	165	473	158
Bray	168	176	139	503	168
Hoots	149	139	165	453	151
Maleska	164	146	180	490	163
Total	799	791	817	2107	

WABASH.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Larrick	155	209	168	532	174
Crinigan	212	171	123	506	169
Dooley	165	207	156	528	176
Boss	138	127	173	433	144
Stringham	148	180	119	447	149
Handicap	65	65	65		
Total	878	950	804	2437	

High individual score—Jack Crinigan 212; high individual average, Jimmie Dooley, 176.

LADIES' LEAGUE.

SPEED GIRLS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Hubenstreet	77	78	145	290	100
McGowan	90	90	73	271	90
Dunn	73	78	89	240	80
Moriarity	89	99	50	238	86
Blind	89	98	89	276	92
Total	427	431	484	1344	

JOLLY BOWLERS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Myers	94	107	128	329	110
Collings	70	76	83	229	76
Heger	135	158	106	399	133
Schultz	77	96	110	282	94
Dunn	91	88	72	256	85
Total	467	519	499	1486	

High individual score—Mrs. Heger 158; high individual average, Mrs. Heger, 155.

Ty Cobb on Trail of Star Second Sacker

PHILADELPHIA.—Second Baseman Jimmy Dykes of the Athletics for Outfielder Bob Veach of Detroit, is the very latest rumor from the house of Mack. Ty Cobb would welcome Jimmy Dykes and Connie Mack no doubt could make much use of Bobby Veach in his rather unsettled outfield.

JIMMY DYKES

BOBBY VEACH

Detroit, if it is to get anywhere in the American League race next year, must have an experienced second baseman. Detroit finished second last season. Now Cobb has nothing but first place to shoot at if he is to improve the standing of his club. The mediocre play of the several players who held down that bag for the Tygers last season will not do for next year if Detroit is to be in the pennant hunt.

Derrill Pratt, who was secured in the trade with Boston failed to deliver. Cobb, when he made the deal figured Pratt had a couple of good years ahead. His play last season proved that he had passed the peak of his game. The Tygers simply must have a seasoned second baseman and no one realizes it better than Cobb.

Jimmy Dykes, who has much natural ability, was rather disappointing to Connie Mack last season. Bob Veach did little more than warm the bench for Detroit. Cobb feels that he can part with Veach and not weaken his club and Mack probably feels the same about Dykes. Yet such a change might work wonders for both clubs and players.

MONMOUTH WINS FROM WESLEYAN

Methodists Minus Zinser in 19 to 6 Setback.

Monmouth, Ill., Nov. 24—Playing without the services of their captain and ace, Johnny Zinser, who was at home nursing an injured knee, Coach C. E. Cartwright's Illinois Wesleyan eleven went down to defeat here Friday, 19-6, before the fierce onslaught of the heavy Monmouth college team.

Barring a spectacular 60 yard run by Forrest Ford on a like buck early in the first quarter, the Wesleyan offense did not function up to the usual standard, the absence of the fleet Zinser cutting down the Methodists offensive appreciably.

Monmouth relied largely on straight football, pounding Wesleyan's line for substantial gains, especially in the second half.

"ECK" ANDERSON INJURED.

The Wesleyan team was further crippled in the second quarter, when "Eck" Anderson was forced out of the lineup with a wrenched hip, Filz replacing him at guard.

Monmouth scored one touchdown in the second quarter, and two in the third, but the Wesleyan gladiators braced in the final period and played the United Presbyterians on even terms.

Monmouth had by far the heavier team, and this aided the Monmouth backs in punching the Wesleyan lineup.

CLARK AND TAYLOR SHINE.

The work of Clarke and Taylor, the two new Monmouth backs stood out prominently in the victory. Both of these boys are real battering rams and ripped up the Cartwright forward wall as no other team has been able to do all season.

The one bright spot in the Wesleyan attack was the Methodists forward pass game, both Tommy Oliver and Heimar Gottschalk nabbing several heaves for substantial gains in the final period. The Smith coached eleven however always braced when the visitors threatened and the Wesleyanites were blanked after the first quarter when Ford made his great run.

While the defeat came as a disappointment to Wesleyanites, it was not unexpected, as the entire Wesleyan offense was built around Captain Zinser, and his place was one that could not be filled on such short notice.

THE SUMMARY.

Wesleyan	Pos.	Monmouth
Oliver	L.E.	J. Wells
Gottschalk	L.T.	Smith
Hanley	L.G.	H. Wells
Burchak	C.	Steere
H. Anderson	R.G.	McCall
Wallace	R.T.	Doty
Belrose	R.E.	Overton
E. Anderson	Q.B.	Graham
Wisler	R.H.	Gorum
F.Ford, Svoboda	L.H.	Taylor
F.Ford, Arends	F.B.	Clark

Touchdowns—Clark (2), Taylor, F. Ford.

Try for point—Taylor.

Score by quarters:

Wesleyan	6	0	0	0	—6
Monmouth	0	6	13	0	—19

Officials—H. N. McCord (Illinois), referee; H. Elliott (Cornell) umpire; A. Swedberg (Augustana), headlinesman.

To Train in Florida.

Chicago, Nov. 24.—The Chicago White Sox will train at Winter Haven, Fla., it was announced Friday night by President Charles A. Comiskey, who returned from the north woods. Several other cities were under consideration by Mr. Comiskey, but his decision was reached after careful consideration. Winter Haven is about half way between Tampa and Orlando.

The American League club, following its custom, will play a spring exhibition series with the New York Nationals, which also will train in Florida.

FRIDAY SCORES

Wittenberg, 14; Muskingum, 0.
Arkansas U., 32; Phillips U., 0.
Kansas Aggies, 21; Oklahoma, 20.
Southern Illinois Teachers, 20; McKendree, 7.
Monmouth, 19; Illinois Wesleyan, 6.
Simpson, 25; Des Moines U., 13.
Penn (Iowa), 7; St. Ambrose, 6.
Coe, 15; Cornell, 0.
Georgetown, 20; Hanover, 7.
Union U., 20; Missouri Osteopaths, 0.
Eureka, 10; St. Viator, 7.
Pacific U., 18; Willamette, 0.
Arkansas Aggies, 42; Ouachita, 0.

The Nut Cracker by Joe Williams

BOLIVIAN admirers cry, "Death to Firpo." .... It must be great to be admired by a Bolivian.

Casey Stengel, world series hero is shunted to the Braves. .... And yet some persons insist there is no sentiment in baseball.

Walter Camp says only the strong men survive.....The weak ones buy glands.

American actress challenges prize fighter in France. ....Realizing that the reporters won't fall for the stolen jewels bunk any murr.

WE used to think the middle weight situation was horribly gummed up. .... But that was before the three-year horses started squabbling among themselves.

There are times when our congressmen, reaching oratorical heights, remind us strikingly of an air circus.

Mr. Rockne says cocksureness beat his Notre Dame team. .... We don't recall seeing that name in the Nebraska lineup.

EDDIE COLLINS SAYS HE DOESN'T CARE TO BE A MANAGER. .... IF HE SIGNED WITH WASHINGTON HE WOULDN'T BE.

Judge Landis laments the unbalanced condition of the major leagues, but neglects to say anything about the unbalanced condition of certain major league minds.

Renault has all the ear marks of a regular fighter .....Tin or cauliflower?

Philadelphia squash player knocked unconscious. .... Perhaps some vulgar person mistook him for a tomato.

ALCOHOL has been discovered in buttermilk, and pretty soon we will be asked to put up with one-half of one per cent cows.

WABASH TEAM WANTS INDOOR BALL GAMES

The Wabash Employees' association indoor baseball team wants a game with any team of indoor baseball players before the league opens. The Wabash aggregation will accept challenges from any team wishing to compete with them.

DELAND.

Mrs. Dona Reid, Mrs. C. H. Porter and Mrs. E. E. Reed are now members of the D. A. R. at Monticello.

The Woman's club will meet with Mrs. M. Hurst Nov. 28. Mrs. Dick will be assistant hostess.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society meets with Mrs. Minnie Campbell Nov. 30.

A surprise party was had for Mrs. Will Chaney Thursday night.

The Standard Bearers meet Saturday evening at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage.

A box supper will be given at the Wisegarner school Saturday night.

The pot luck supper was given at J. H. Dresback's Thursday evening. C. Gilmore and family of Decatur attended.

Miss Della Anderson of Glendora, Cal., recently underwent an operation.

Dr. Will Mentz of Davenport, Ind., has been a guest of Mrs. Sadie Haines.

Mr. and Mrs. McNitt of St. Louis are guests of G. R. Hursh.

The Christian church people of Lane will visit the church here Sunday. A basket dinner will be had.

Mrs. Ray Pitts of Champaign is a guest of J. M. Pitts and family.

On Nov. 28 Argenta plays basketball here.

Mrs. Tessa Spainhour and daughters have gone to their home in Codia, Ind.

JOHNNY DUNDEE WILL BE BUSY

Junior Lightweight Crown Is Veteran's Goal.

BY FAIR PLAY

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New York, Nov. 24.—Johnny Dundee is working hard to fit himself for a long series of bouts this winter. Out in his Jersey home he is running up and down the Orange mountains and boxing daily against rugged partners.

His December match with Jack Bernstein, who won Johnny's junior lightweight title from him last winter, is an indication of the feather king's desire to restore himself to public favor, of which he lost large chunks when his match with Benny Leonard fell through because Dundee was not in good shape and made the mistake of pulling a bunk bout against a second rater just before the proposed Leonard scrap.

NOT RISKING TITLE.

Johnny is not risking his feather title against Bernstein, since the men are meeting at 130 pounds. But because of this fact Bernstein is risking the title he grabbed from the Scotch wop. The fight ought to be a dandy.

Despite an adverse decision against him in his battle with Tommy Loughran, Boston fans are full of praises for Ted Moore, the British champion middleweight. According to accounts, Moore received a typical "Boston decision" in this battle and the verdict was not pleasing to the fans of the Hub.

Being as good as he is, it is curious that some New York matchmaker does not give the Briton an opportunity of showing his stuff. If there is any good reason at all it would seem to be that there is no classy middleweight hanging around to meet him, unless it be Johnny Wilson. Wilson has been improving of late and says he would be willing to fight through Moore to Harry Greb.

ALL STARS TO MEET DECATUR PIRATES

The West End All-Stars and the Decatur Pirates will meet at 2:30 Sunday afternoon on the Roosevelt field for a football game. The Roosevelt field is at the corner of West Marietta and North Oakland streets.

No admission will be charged for the game.

IT WAS HIS CHIN THAT HURT

BY JOE WILLIAMS

Jimmy Bronson, who handled the ring affairs of Bob Martin, champion of the soldier boy fighters, and a pretty fair heavyweight, as heavyweights went, is no dumbbell. Jimmy is a modernist and is equipped with a keen mind.

In his own way he is somewhat of a psychologist.

Once in Cleveland in a fight between Martin and another soldier, Sergt. Ray Smith, he tried some psychology stuff on his protege with—well, not with very flattering success.

Early in the fight the noble sergeant, who was figured to be easy picking, clouted the A. E. F. champion on the button and sent him to the canvass. It was the first time Martin had ever been knocked down.

Bronson wasn't sure how the young man would react to such violent punishment. Would the knockdown frighten him into utter loss of form? Bronson thought hurriedly and before the gong sounded ending the round he had resolved upon a swell line of mental encouragement.

"Say, you are a big clumsy bimbo!" shouted Bronson when Martin came back to his corner. "Why don't you watch your feet. You tripped right over them in that round. Made you look bad. Made you look as if you had been knocked down."

Flattered by his own cleverness this pugilistic professor of psychology stepped backward several paces to observe the effect of his words. He was not compelled to wait long.

"Well, if I tripped over my feet, who put them under my chin, that's what I want to know," answered the practical and extremely logical Mr. Martin.

NEW PASTOR FOR ALLENVILLE CHURCH

Allenville, Nov. 24.—Rev. H. B. Pollock of Decatur has been appointed pastor of the Methodist church here, to hold services each alternate Sunday. The appointment was made by District Superintendent W. D. Fairchild of Mattoon, after a meeting here with members of the church. Rev. Mr. Pollock will preach here first Friday evening, Nov. 30 and both morning and evening of Sunday, Dec. 2.

George Reynolds is seriously ill at the home of his son, William Reynolds, here.

spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Hammond spent Sunday with Mrs. I. E. McCabe and daughter, Sylvia.

Mrs. Alma Spaugh of Sullivan spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Mary Knott.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman French and children, Mr. and Mrs. Seth French, Misses Mildred and Colleen Stokes, Ray Dolan and Leo Carmine were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Carmine.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Buxton and daughter, Mildred, and son, Oral, spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bundy of Hammond.

Mrs. Fred Watkins and daughter, Opal, Mrs. Don Comstalk, and Juanita, Wanda and James Spaugh were in Sullivan Tuesday.

Harley Jenkins and Sam Standerfer of Decatur spent Saturday and Sunday with home people.

Misses Jessie Turner and Eva Lochbaum of Mattoon spent Sunday afternoon here.

Billy Turner is ill at the home of his parents here. Pneumonia is feared will develop.

Oletha Ethington who has been seriously ill for sometime remains about the same.

REAL PRAISE

FRANK SUNDSTROM.

"One of the best tackles I have ever coached," is the compliment the usually silent Gil Dobie pays to Frank Sundstrom, one of the greatest forwards Cornell has turned out in years. Cornellians are positive he should be an unanimous All-America choice.

SPECIAL MEETING IN MACON MONDAY

Macon Nov. 24—Rev. A. M. Wells, superintendent of the Decatur district of Illinois conference will hold the first quarterly meeting for the Macon Methodist church at 7 p. m. Monday, Nov. 26.

Not only the official members but the members of the church are cordially invited to attend this session where important business is to be transacted.

The pastor's theme Sunday morning will be "A much Neglected Privilege and at 7 p. m. "The Query of the First Murderer."

Union Thanksgiving services will be held at 7 p. m. Thursday at the Methodist church.

Rev. William Pease, pastor of the Presbyterian church will deliver the message and the choirs of the Methodist and Presbyterian churches will furnish the music.

Mrs. Helen Morris was a Decatur visitor Thursday.

Miss Lila Rulin spent Sunday in Decatur with her sister, Mrs. Scotty Warnick and family.

H. A. Montgomery of Decatur was a Macon visitor Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Arnold spent Sunday with relatives in Decatur.

The Presbyterian Missionary society held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. George Glenn Wednesday afternoon.

Jack Sanders spent Sunday in Springfield, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Tripp and son of Dunkle spent Sunday with John Glenn and family.

Mrs. Davis and family of Mowequa have moved into the Lindsey property in the west part of town.

Misses Lucy Gehm and Marie Guthridge were visitors in Stonington Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffery of Decatur spent Sunday with John Easley and family.

CISCO.

F. E. Snaff and family spent Sunday at Oreana, visiting with Mr. Reynolds and family.

Mrs. Ed. Augustus is visiting her son Ralph Augustus and family at Saybrook.

Vira Minton and Maxine Stockhouse spent the week-end at Cerro Gordo visiting relatives.

J. P. Loveless of Winchester was a business visitor here Staurday.

Ray Coffin and family and S. D. Clover and wife spent Sunday in Decatur with relatives.

Rev. A. M. Wells, district superintendent of Decatur district, preached at the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday night and held first Quarterly Conference after services.

N. M. Denny of Lincoln is visiting his mother, Mrs. Addie Cutler.

Mrs. Preston Reed gave a party in honor of her son Marlyn's ninth birthday, Monday evening.

Margaret Pattengale, who underwent an operation at the Decatur and Macon County hospital returned home Tuesday.

Ralph McArty and wife of Harristown spent Tuesday with A. B. Weddle and family.

F. M. Coffin was pleasantly surprised Monday evening, the occasion being his sixty-six birthday. Oysters were served.

Johnson Dodd and wife of Sidney are visiting relatives here.

TEARNEY BLOCKS TALK OF DRAFT

Writes Letter to Western League Club Heads.

Chicago, Nov. 24.—Any attempt to modify their present working agreement with the major leagues would be nothing short of sacrificing their independence, President Al. R. Tearney Friday told club owners of the Western League in a letter discussing the coming league meeting here next month.

He pointed out the benefits of the agreement which his club owners accepted with the major leagues as a substitute for the draft, and explained that he had information from a number of other leagues which would gladly accept this same arrangement if it is possible for them now to do so.

IDEAL SITUATION

"Under the present arrangement," President Tearney said, "the Western League has an ideal situation, as under the rules it can operate exactly as a league that has accepted the draft, but denies the majors the right to arbitrarily take a player."

The Western League, one of the five leagues which refused to subscribe to the draft through the efforts of President Tearney, entered into the present arrangement which provides that the clubs can accept players from the majors, subject to recall. In case the recall option is not exercised and the other major league clubs fail to draft the player or players, they become the property of the club to which they were assigned, and the clubs hold the right to dispose of the players as they see fit, either by sale, trade or otherwise.

The letter to the Western League club owners was prompted because of the more or less general discussion of the draft in various sections of the country and among several of his club members.

WOMEN BANQUET AT ASSUMPTION

Mothers and Daughters Have Fete.

Assumption, Nov. 24.—The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church held its first annual Mother and Daughter banquet in the church basement Thursday evening. There were forty mothers and daughters at the banquet. The serving was in charge of Misses Marvel Meyers, Henritta Clark, Beulah Seward, Lucile Shipley, Sybil Gerhart and Miss Watson.

Mrs. O. F. Jones acted as toastmistress and a very interesting program given.

Mrs. Silas Shafer led a prayer.
Song—"America."
Talk of Welcome—Mrs. Howard Johnston, President of W. F. M. S.
Response—Mrs. J. W. B. Finley.
Song—Standard Bearers.
Talk as a Mother—Mrs. H. C. Lockarite.
Reading—Mrs. Earl Bowles.

CLASS ENTERTAINS

The Mizpah Bible class entertained the Good Fellowship class of the Memorial Presbyterian church at an oyster supper at the basement of the church, Thursday evening, the Good Fellowship class being winner of a contest between the two classes. Various games were enjoyed following the banquet.

Mrs. A. H. Corzine was a Decatur visitor Thursday.

Floyd Padgett and Homer Fultz were in Pana Thursday.

Mrs. L. C. Corzine and children, Mrs. G. O. Corzine, Mrs. J. L. Corzine, Mrs. C. G. Simcox and daughter Jean, Miss Irene Corzine, Irene Bridgeman were Decatur visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Leaver of Vandalia is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Henry.

Rev. and Mrs. Anderick arrived Thursday from Michigan to take up his duties as pastor of the Baptist church.

C. A. DuBois, P. M. Gandy, Karl Hight, O. D. Hedrick and Dr. G. E. Walker attended the Masonic banquet in Pana Thursday evening.

POLICE NOTES.

Steve Wairick, 432 East Main street, was arrested Friday evening on complaint of Joe Rucker, who charged him with being drunk and disturbing the peace.

J. A. Graham, 158 West Decatur street, was fined $10.40 by Justice Lloyd for speeding.

Halden Birt, 1049 East Main street, charged with speeding, gave bond to appear before Justice Lloyd Nov. 28.

Florence Powers, 348 North Jackson street, was arrested for possessing and selling liquor and released on bond of $1,000 to appear before Justice Lloyd Nov. 30. Joe Stearns, Ray Agee and Nora Dills, arrested at the same place, were charged with congregating to drink. They were released on bonds of $50 each to appear Nov. 30.

Then She Painted

Answers. The Tinker—I've come to fix that old tub in the kitchen.

Little Girl—Oh, mammie, here's the doctor to see the cook.

Football's BIGGEST THRILLS

BY BART MACOMBER
Over Illinois Star

RUNNING the length of the field for a touchdown is not an uncommon play in football. Such a play happens on the kick-off on the recovery of a fumble. The greatest play I ever saw was a run for the length of the [illegible].

[illegible] was made in 1914 at Illinois in the "Homecoming game" with Cal. For this game, Illinois graduates flock back annually, and for an Illinois player to turn the trick on such an occasion made the feat all the more memorable.

Perry Clark, pronounced by Coach Bob Zuppke as the great all-round backfield star ever turned out at Illinois, was the hero of the occasion.

Clark caught "Shorty" Des Jardiens kick-off under his own goal-post and ran straight to the Chicago goalposts for a touchdown. He had only to dodge one Chicago man and this was easily accomplished, as Clark was a beautiful open-field runner.

This play has been done before, but usually the man carrying the ball has to dodge many opponents and run from one side of the field to the other in order to run the length of the field.

The greatness of this play, aside from Clark's part in it, was the magnificent interference given the runner. As Clark caught the ball, every Illinois man came to the center and took out a man. In other words, they opened a hole for the runner—a difficult thing to do on the kick-off—enabling Clark to run straight down the field.

"ANDY GUMPS" WANT BASKETBALL DATES

Moweaqua, Ill., Nov. 24—A Moweaqua basketball team calling themselves the "Andy Gumps" are desirous of signing up games with teams whose players range from 17 to 20 years of age. The Moweaqua aggregation may be reached by writing manager John Pirpah at Moweaqua.

WINDSOR CAGE TEAM IN SECOND VICTORY

Windsor, Ill., Nov. 24.—Windsor high school's basketball team defeated Stewardson high here Friday night by a score of 36 to 18. This was the second victory for the locals this season. Duncan and Webb were high point men for Windsor and played a stellar brand of ball. O. Dappert played well for the visitors. The summary:

Windsor—	F. G.	F. T.	T. P.
Duncan, f.	7	2	16
Sihiser, f.	4	0	8
Robinson, f.	0	0	0
Webb, c.	5	2	12
Hamilton, g.	0	0	0
Patterson, g.	0	0	0
Totals	16	4	36
Stewardson—	F. G.	F. T.	T. P.
O. Dappert, f.	2	2	6
W. Dappert, f.	2	0	4
Norris, c.	2	0	4
Scheef, g.	1	0	2
Steele, g.	1	0	2
Totals	8	2	18

Referee—Beem (Sparks).

ASSUMPTION INDEES WILL PLAY VIRDEN

The Assumption Independent football team, an eleven defeated but twice in the last three seasons of playing, will meet the Virden Indees Sunday afternoon at 2:15 at Assumption. Virden also has a very powerful eleven, having a record of only two defeats in the last two years of play, so the game Sunday is expected to be a real contest. Both elevens are well matched.

GUNS at Cost Prices

Winchester Pump Guns 12—16—20 GA. HAMMERLESS $42.50
Remington Pump Guns $42.50
Remington Automatic Shotguns $50.00
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Large Employers Oppose Paying Workers by Check

Meeting Payrolls With Cash Has Big Morale Advantage, Is Claim.

BY J. C. ROYLE
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New York, Nov. 24.—Despite the robberies which have swept over the country and which are keeping the 12,000 police of New York on duty 16 hours a day, large employers appear generally to oppose payment of workers by check. They assert, according to the American Management association that if the convenience and good will of their employes means as much as they think, there will be few attempts to pay by check except under special circumstances.

The benefit to the morale of workers and the saving in time and money secured by paying in cash far over-balances the losses sustained through hold ups and bandits, employment experts agree. Wages constitute the most absorbing topic in a worker's life and the statement that "it is what is in the pay envelope that counts" is only half true. The kind of pay and the manner of payment are of much more importance to the worker than is generally realized. A check and cash may represent the same amount of money but a check is not so promptly usable as cash and it does not have the same significance to the workman.

MORE EXPENSIVE

Employers here indicate that their purpose to regard the matter from a broader viewpoint than that of paying it safely. The increase of even one cent a week in the cost of paying workers amounts to no inconsiderable in the course of a working year of 50 weeks when large numbers are employed and payment by check, it is claimed, is more expensive. In New York state there are approximately 8,000,000 individual payments made to employes each year involving a total of between $1,000,000,000 and $2,000,000,000 of which approximately only 2-1,000 of one per cent has been stolen.

The questions which most employers consider first, however, is where and when checks given employes can be cashed. Usually banks are closed at hours when workers are free to go to them to cash checks, which forces them to cash them at a store, sometimes at a discount or else take time off from work. One company here by paying its workers in cash found a great reduction in the absences on simple pay day.

BELIEVES IN CASH

The president of the B. F. Goodrich Rubber and Tire company is opposing a possible change from cash to checks and said: "Unhesitatingly I state that the first and greatest impetus toward promoting the welfare of employes is paying them in currency. I am firm in mind that nothing could be done which would antagonize and undo years of patient effort in securing the good will and loyalty of our employes and a change from the plan of paying in currency to payment by check.

Some banks have encouraged payment by check because it tends to build up saving and establishment of a credit by workers but one institution found that when workers from a large factory all appeared at the paying teller's window at the same time it closely resembled a run on the bank that the president of the institution decided to discontinue this service.

MASTER CLERK

Some concerns, such as the Virginia Company, deposit a master clerk for the entire payroll together with a list of employes and have the individual amounts credited to the account of each worker. Other employers employ modifications of this plan for it is recognized that the employer has a decided economic interest in wages even after they are paid as a wise expenditure of wages by the worker means he has secured a poor return for his effort. Such a condition cannot but react upon the employer.

The Detroit Paper Box company pays the cash in each pay envelope and gives a check for the balance of the weekly wage. Some employers make a practice of including a $5 or $10 gold piece in the envelopes in the hope that workers will be led to save them.

In summing up the situation W. J. Donald, managing director of the American Management association says: "The information and evidence which we have secured lean very strongly toward a continuation of payment in cash, especially for employes receiving less than $2,000 a year."

BUTTER MARKET

Chicago, Nov. 24.—In irregular decline the trade featured the week and unsettled the market this week. Boston alone maintained a steady price level and Chicago after a midweek advance declined to former prices.

An increase in storage supply and a decrease in consumptive demand were considered responsible. Reports of production showed that the usual November low point was reached.

Evidence of the public to use less butter at the high prices is reflected in the quiet condition of the wholesale market, distribution report.

Imports which were heavier exerted an influence on the supply.

Following wholesale prices and range of prices for butter at the principal markets follow:

Chicago, unchanged at 51½c; New York, 1c lower, at 52c.

LOAN $3,000,000 TO N. W. FARMERS

Minneapolis, Nov. 24.—Minnesota farmers have been loaned about $3,000,000 by the State Rural Credits bureau on short-term paper. The funds have been made available through a bond issue, which was purchased by the state investment bureau, after failure to sell the bonds in the open market.

COMMODITY NEWS.

SHOES.

Lynn, Mass., Nov. 23.—Shoe production here is at the low point of the year. Ninety-five per cent of Lynn production is in novelty shoes, none of the factories are working on standard spring goods, as are plants in other centers.

St. Louis, Nov. 23.—Net sales of the Brown Shoe company for the fiscal year ending Oct. 31 amounted to $20,879,285, a gain of almost $2,500,000.

OIL.

San Francisco, Nov. 23.—Crude oil production in California averaged 103,787 barrels a day in October, the total output being 24,867,000, a decrease of 63,000 barrels from September. Stocks increased 2,852,041 barrels during the month to a total of 88,849,560. Ninety-nine new wells were brought in with an initial production of 377,750 barrels, as compared with ninety-three wells flowing 139,060 barrels in September.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Atlanta, Nov. 23.—Dairymen here this week advanced the wholesale price of milk from forty to fifty cents a gallon. The retail price went up from fifteen to eighteen cents a quart.

FRUIT.

Spokane, Nov. 23.—The two chief Washington apple districts, Wenatchee and Yakima, have shipped approximately 16,800 carloads of apples to date this season. It is estimated that at least 10,000 cars will go to waste or be made into vinegar or canned. An enormous amount of fruit, it is felt, will rot on the ground because of present market conditions.

PACKING HOUSE PRODUCTS.

Kansas City, Nov. 23.—Trade in packing house products here has been reasonably good for the last week. Products are moving at a lively rate and packers say there is reason to look forward to several weeks of excellent business.

TURKEYS.

St. Paul, Nov. 24.—Turkeys are selling at a maximum wholesale price of 80c a pound here, six cents below prices of last week and 10c below those of a year ago. Retail prices are up to 45c. The northwest turkey supply is exceptionally large. Poorer stock sold today at 26c a pound at retail and 18c wholesale.

Philadelphia, Nov. 24.—Thanksgiving turkeys have been selling at 10 to 15c cheaper at auctions here than this year than in 1922. Finest grades have sold at wholesale at 50c a pound while lower grade birds brought 25c.

DRY GOODS.

St. Louis, Nov. 24.—Department store here in here say all indications point to the largest holiday trade St. Louis ever has had. There is noticeable demand for better grade merchandise. M. S. Wilkinson president of the Scruggs Vandervoort and Barney Dry Goods company said today October was the best month his firm ever had had.

FISH.

Seattle, Nov. 24.—Accumulation of canned salmon has not caused perceptible weakening of the prices established in September. Receipts from Alaska for October, according to the collector of customs at Juneau amount to nearly 100,000,000 pounds, valued at $18,299,178. Alaska mild cured salmon exports for October totaled 1,900,000 pounds valued at $201,110.

LIVESTOCK.

Fort Worth, Nov. 24.—Cattle, sheep and goats on the Texas ranges are in good flesh today and comparatively little winter feeding will be necessary this season.

SUGAR

Denver, Nov. 24.—Colorado beet sugar farmers have had their bank accounts increased approximately $8,500,000 by the first payments made by the Western Sugar company for 1923 beets. These figures represent about one-third of the total initial value of this year's crop.

PRODUCE REVIEW

Chicago, Nov. 24.—Swift and Company's Produce Review says:

"The holiday poultry market is the center of interest.

"Receipts of turkeys, both live and dressed have been much heavier for Thanksgiving trade than for some years past, and reports from producing sections indicate there is still a large number of turkeys on the farm to be marketed for Christmas trade.

"Production is noticeable heavier in southern and western Oklahoma, Texas, Wyoming, Montana and Idaho.

"Turkey raising on the present scale is rather a new thing in the last three mentioned states and has also been taken up extensively in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta in Canada. These provinces will have a large surplus, a proportion of which will undoubtedly be exported to the United States.

"The New York market report indicates that dressed turkeys are selling at fifteen cents a pound under the prices prevailing at this time last year.

"There is a plentiful supply of chickens, fowl, ducks and geese. Poultry production has received tremendous impetus in the last few years, and the receipts, both live and dressed, are heavy. The reasonable prices at which poultry is being sold should induce a large consumption for holiday trade.

"Receipts of fresh eggs are light, and there is a good demand for this kind of stock.

"Storage eggs are moving about as well as could be expected, although the stocks are heavier than this time a year ago, and at present wholesale selling prices, owners are selling at a loss, considering original cost, storage and insurance charges.

"Cream receipts at creameries are showing a noticeable increase over the same period last year. Larger imports at seaboard points tend to lessen the confidence of buyers. Less milk is being used by creameries, and this surplus milk is finding its way into the butter factories, thus augmenting the supply. The eastern market is closing at two cents lower than a week ago."

PITTSBURGH WAGES AT HIGHEST PEAK

Pittsburgh, Nov. 24.—Wages are again at the peak point in Pittsburgh, attained during June, this year, when the purchasing power of Pittsburgh's wage earners was thirty-nine per cent above pre-war days, a committee of the Chamber of Commerce reports.

A. C. MILLER HEADS PIATT RED CROSS

Annual Roll Call Now in Progress.

Monticello, Nov. 24.—The following officers for the Piatt county Red Cross chapter were elected recently:

President—A. C. Miller.
Vice President—W. F. Lodge.
Secretary—R. E. Thompson.
Treasurer—W. A. Scott.
Chairman—C. H. McCann.
Roll Call.

The annual roll call is now in progress and it is the earnest desire that all old members of the Red Cross renew their memberships by Thanksgiving day, at which time the annual roll call will end.

The Piatt county chapter has twelve auxiliaries and these are active in recruiting new members and renewing old subscriptions.

MONDAY EVENING CLUB.

The Monday Evening club will meet Monday evening Nov. 26. This meeting will be held in the Presbyterian church parlors. Following are the hostesses: Bess Bushes, chairman, Bess Raycraft, Agnes Foster, Mollie Jamison, Jean Foster, Katherine Donahue and Leda Hubbard.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gale Nov. 19, a son.

Miss Bess Tucker of Bement has accepted a position as office girl at the Louis W. Stitt undertaking parlors.

Mrs. Tom Angelopoules has gone to New Haven, Conn., for an extended visit with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradford V. Moore are visiting her mother in Providence, R. I.

Miss Margaret Rhodes, who has been confined to her bed for the last twenty weeks with inflammatory rheumatism, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Jennie Reiman left Friday for Marion, Ohio, to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Plunk, and family.

Mrs. J. D. Leiper is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Silcox of Byran, Ohio.

Congressman and Mrs. Allen F. Moore left Wednesday afternoon for Washington, D. C., where the former will resume his duties in Congress.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Perkins and little son, Bobbie, who went to Lincoln, Neb., last summer have returned to Monticello and will make their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Tippett and family, Misses Edith and Mabel Black, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Weddle, Mr. and Mrs. Shocky Weaver and Mr. and Mrs. Alan Anderson attended the Orpheum in Champaign Thursday evening.

Mrs. John Mosgrove has returned from Clinton, where she spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Pearle Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Burgess and Mr. and Mrs. W. K. England motored to Columbus, Ohio, and attended the Illinois-Ohio game Saturday.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church took in $500 at their chicken pie dinner and supper and bazaar held Thursday in the church parlors.

Lutheran services will be held in the Christian church in this city Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. H. J. Prodaehl of Osman will preach.

FOR THANKSGIVING

The following Thanksgiving exercises will be given on Tuesday morning at the South school building at 9 o'clock and Wednesday morning in the Lincoln school at 9 o'clock.

SOUTH BUILDING

A Turkey Ran Away—First Grade.
A Big Fat Turkey—Second Grade.
Over the River—Third and Fourth Grades.
Breaking Waves—Fifth and Sixth Grades.
Thanksgiving Song—Seventh Grade.
Thanksgiving Day—Eighth Grade.

LINCOLN SCHOOL.

Orchestra—Music.
A Pumpkin Ran Away—First Grade.
A Big Fat Turkey—Second Grade.
Thanksgiving—Third Grade.
Through the Wood—Fourth Grade.
Swing the Sickle—Fifth Grade.
[illegible] Grade.

MOSCOW IS 100 PCT. OVERCROWDED

2,000,000 Crowd Into City of Million.

Moscow, Nov. 24.—(AP)—All of the compactness of living like sardines in a can, together with about the same amount of privacy as if one were living in a goldfish bowl, is enjoyed by the majority of Moscow's inhabitants.

There are more than 2,000,000 of them, living in a city built for less than a million, and only the very prosperous newly rich and a few lucky foreigners who have fat expense accounts have anything like spacious quarters.

WAITING LISTS.

Housing conditions are somewhat better than last year because some buildings have been repaired, but for every free room there are hundreds of applicants, ready to pay large fees merely for the privilege of moving in.

Generally speaking, the legal amount of space to which any individual is entitled equals that taken up in an American house by a small bathroom or a large clothes closet. In houses which have been returned to private owners, or which have been exempted from the space regulations by agreement with individuals who undertake to repair them, it is sometimes possible to obtain several rooms.

MONEY MAD

But Moscow is money mad, and has been for two years, and the premiums charged merely for obtaining rooms are sometimes fantastic. For example, the writer was asked $500 cash, plus $75 rental, for one small unfurnished room with no convenience whatsoever.

Foreigners usually live in the government-controlled hotels, which of late have become so expensive that London or New York hotel charges pale in comparison.

All of the Moscow hotels and restaurants are now on a gold basis, calculating the charges in gold rubles and converting them into paper money at the day's rate of exchange.

TO BLOOMINGTON TO SEE 3 PLAYS

Nine From Millikin Dramatic Council.

A group of nine members of the Dramatic Council of James Millikin university braved the rough and detour filled road to Bloomington Friday evening to see the presentation of the set of three one-act plays by the Springfield Little Theater association.

The three plays presented were short and interesting, representing the works of three separate playwrights. The object of the gathering at Bloomington was to give the Bloomington people more of an idea as to the practical working qualities of such an organization and to show what had been done by a group who had been working for a year or more, as a little theater organization.

The president of the Bloomington Little Theater organization spoke briefly to the audience in an explanation of what had been done and what was hoped for in Bloomington. The purpose of the trip by the Millikin students was to see more of this system of play presentation and to find out how it had been worked out by players of a neighboring city.

J. O. SUTHERLAND DIES IN EFFINGHAM

Was Minister of Christian Church Many Years.

Effingham, Ill., Nov. 24.—The Rev. Jacob O. Sutherland, for more than forty years head of various pastorates in the Christian church in Illinois, died here Friday, aged 76, at the home of his brother.

Rev. Mr. Sutherland had been in failing health for several years, but not until the last day or two had his condition been regarded as critical. He came here from Latham, in Logan county, where he had been active in church work for many years. His wife died in LaLtham several years ago.

Surviving relatives include one son, William of Mattoon, one daughter, Mrs. George Easton of Beckingham, N. D., and two brothers, Jay and William, of Effingham.

PHILIPPINES LOSE CEMENT INDUSTRY

Manila, Nov. 24.—(AP)—The insular government will lose $225,000 in the National Cement Company, one of the Philippine government's "war baby" industries, if the deal, now reported to be virtually complete for the sale of the company to private interests, is consummated. The company has been financed out of funds of the National bank to the extent of approximately $1,500,000, and pending loss will represent $15 on each share of capital stock with a par value of $100.

DEMOCRATIC WOMEN APPLAUD WILSON

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 24.—Applause for Woodrow Wilson swept the third district regional conference of Democratic women here, Friday when Mrs. George Fort Milton of Chattanooga, vice president of the Tennessee Democratic State Committee, declared the "principles of Woodrow Wilson were never so strong throughout the nation as they are now."

Predicting that 1924 will be a Democratic year, Mrs. Benton McMillan of Nashville, Tenn. third regional director, sounded the keynote of the conference and denounced the Republican organization.

GOVERNOR FIELDS AGAINST DANCING

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 24.—W. J. Fields, governor-elect of this state announced he would not attend the inauguration ball scheduled for the executive mansion at Frankfort, Dec. 11. He declared that if a ball is held it will not be in the governor's mansion, nor will any dancing be permitted there while he is governor, as neither he nor Mrs. Fields approve of it.

TRESPASSER USES GUN ON FARMER

Lincoln, Nov. 24.—Charles Martin, prominent Lincoln man, was assaulted by an unidentified negro hunter, who was trespassing on the Martin farm, at Martin Crossing north of Lincoln, late Thursday and received a severe cut on one arm.

Mr. Martin was brought to Lincoln by Dietrich Werth, a neighbor, at 5 o'clock. It was feared at first that Mr. Martin's arm was broken. A severe wound on the arm was bleeding profusely, but examination failed to show any broken bones.

Two negroes, hunting rabbits went onto the Martin place without permission. There is considerable livestock on the farm and Mr. Martin warned them to leave. They declined to go, and he again asked them to leave. One of the two became abusive, although the other fellow behaved himself. Using his gun as a club, the abusive negro swung at Mr. Martin's head. The latter threw up his arm to ward off the blow and received an ugly wound on the forearm.

CUBA CUTS DOWN INFLUX OF CHINESE

Havana, Nov. 24.—(AP)—Restrictions imposed upon the entry of Chinese immigrants into Cuba have cut down the influx so that within the last ten months only 212 have entered as compared with 1,212 during the previous ten months. The present Cuban law is similar to the United States law and bars laborers, but admits under restrictions merchants, students and tourists.

MISSOURI POWER COMPANY GROWS

Chicago, Nov. 24.—Properties of utilities operating companies serving 24 Missouri cities have been acquired by the newly organized Missouri Power and Light company of Mexico, Mo., whose common stock is owned by the North American Light and Power company, it was announced today.

The North American concern is closely associated with the Illinois Power and Light corporation.

TI JUANA, MEXICO SUFFERS FIRE LOSS

San Diego, Cal., Nov. 24.—Saloons, stores and resorts comprising about a block of the business section of the old town of Ti Jauana, Mexico, across the border about eighteen miles from here, are in ruins as the result of a fire yesterday.

CUBANS TO INVITE INDUSTRY SESSION

Havana, Nov. 24.—(AP)—Cuban business men will seek to bring together the world's producers, sellers and buyers in an International Sample Fair to be held in Havana, Feb. 9-24, 1924. Almost all branches of industry are to be represented under the plans of the fair organization which is headed by Frank Steinhart, an American who has been in business here since the war with Spain.

FRENCH OPPOSED TO GERMAN MOVIES

Paris, Nov. 24.—(AP)—Many Frenchmen believe the Germans are conducting an anti-French propaganda through the movies. They point to the fact that the scandals of French history, night life in Paris, and unfavorable aspects of French politics are used so often by the German producers that the purpose clearly is to hurt French prestige.

MARIGOLD GARDENS TO GIVE UP GHOST

Chicago, Nov. 24.—The Marigold Gardens will close on December 1, "a victim of prohibition" according to Karl Eitel, of Eitel Brothers who have operated it since 1896.

AVON
TODAY
"The Man Who Won"
—with—
DUSTIN FARNUM
—and—
EPISODE "6"
"HER DANGEROUS PATH"
STARTING TOMORROW
The Picture That Will Be the Talk of Decatur for Days
"CAMEO KIRBY"

BIJOU
LAST TIMES TODAY
CARL LAEMMLE presents
Gladys Walton
in
SAWDUST
A Universal Attraction

"A Thrilling Romance of Circus Life"
ALSO COMEDY
STARTING TOMORROW

"Pioneer Trails"
Mae Tinee of the Chicago Tribune says: "'Pioneer Trails' is a big picture on the order of 'The Covered Wagon,' only better."

LINCOLN SQUARE
TODAY
'Broken Hearts Of Broadway'
—with—
Alice Lake, Colleen Moore Johnny Walker
—Also—
"FIGHTING BLOOD"
News—Comedy
TOMORROW ONLY
Joe Kayser and His Orchestra
—in—
A BRAND NEW PROGRAM IN ADDITION TO
"Is Money Everything"

ALHAMBRA
TONIGHT
HOOT GIBSON
—in—
"DEAD GAME"
A hair raising western romance.
CHAPTER NO. 16 OF
"THE OREGON TRAIL"
AND COMEDY

FOUR PLANES TO BE AT LINCOLN PAGEANT

Lincoln, Ill., Nov. 24.—The small Sperry Messenger pursuit plane, one of four machines to be sent here from Chanute Field, Rantoul, for the hard road celebration next Tuesday, will fly over to Lincoln Monday.

The local celebration committee is asked to furnish a guard over night Monday for the plane, and to mark a landing field near town for the three larger Deflaviland bombing planes that will arrive Tuesday.

The Sperry plane will be mounted on a truck chassis to be shown in the parade.

A detachment of twenty five National Guardsmen will be employed in Lincoln on Tuesday to help handle traffic. In addition a score of state highway motorcycle police are expected in the city to head the parade.

CITY ADVERTISING

SPECIAL TAX NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given all persons interested that the Council of the City of Decatur, Illinois, has ordered the following improvement to be made in said City as follows, to-wit:

The improvement of the roadway of East William Street from the east line of North Seventh Street east to the west line of the Banks of said City running northerly and southerly along North Tenth Street (produced) on the east side part thereof outside the City of Decatur, Illinois, and also except that part occupied by the main track of the Cincinnati Indianapolis & Western Railroad Company, being from a line drawn two (2) feet west of and parallel to the west rail to a line drawn two (2) feet east of and parallel to the east rail thereof for the full width of thirty (30) feet between curbs, that portion of said East William Street lying west of the line of the banks of said City running southeasterly, thence westerly east of and parallel to said track as now same exists, and as produced northwesterly, except said north [illegible] said ten (10) feet wide strip on the full width of fifteen (15) feet from the last aforesaid line of the banks of said City as the same exists and as produced northwesterly, except said north [illegible] said South Side Street (produced), the south line of said East William and portion of said improvement being the line of the banks of said City running southerly and westerly to North

Forces Working For Higher Prices Continue In Command

Rails Suffer From Early Depression But Recover

Oil Shares' Strength Is Noteworthy Feature—Buying Movement Continues Unabated.

BY STUART P. WEST
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Wall Street, New York, Nov. 24.—The forces working for higher prices on the stock exchange continued to hold the upper hand today Some hesitation was shown for a time after the opening Further selling in C. & O. due to disappointment over Friday's dividend action, had a depressing effect upon other rails, especially those which have been bought on favorable dividend rumors. But in the second and final hour the upward tendency again asserted itself.

Little attention was paid to the week-end mercantile review, which told nothing new about the present, and threw no light upon the future. The statement that weather conditions have slowed down retail and jobbing trade is of no interest.

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OIL WAS THE FEATURE

[illegible]

THE STOCK MARKET

[illegible]

BOND MARKET IN UNEVEN SESSION

BY GEORGE T. HUGHES
(Copyright 1923)

New York Nov 24—Today's bond market displayed the same irregular [illegible] has marked its course during the entire week

United States government issues and high grade rails and industrials were firm but showed no tendency to advance On the week most of the listed issues are fractionally lower but the same is true of some of the strongest rails and bonds such as Atchison General 4s and Union Pacific refunding 4s

Foreign buying [illegible] prominent in the week's trading in these securities seem to have fallen off for the time

At the same time new issues of prime quality are readily absorbed This is all the more noteworthy in the face of the breaks in many new offerings sustained here as indications will direct support to bonds and all well this market is able to care for itself Investors seem [illegible] is not [illegible]

[illegible]

WHEAT CLOSE IS UNSETTLED

Market Keeps Within Narrow Limits; Sellers Are Scarce.

Chicago Nov 24—With lower quotations at Liverpool and with selling here on the part of a house with corn connections the wheat market showed a downward tendency today Washington reports of opposition to new credit schemes of financing exports of American products to Germany counted also as a bearish factor

Opening prices which varied from unchanged to ⅛c lower December [illegible] and May $1 08⅜ were followed by a moderate general setback and then by a reaction

In the later transactions the market kept within narrow limits and a majority of dealers appeared to be less disposed to operate on the selling side notwithstanding the do[illegible] visible supply total Monday promised to be more than double last year

The close was unsettled ⅛c net decline to ⅛c gain December $1 03⅜@¼ and May $1 08⅜@⅞

Corn was easier with wheat Afterward opening at ⅛c off to ⅛c up May [illegible] to ¼ the market showed some loss all around

Liquidating sales of December were heavy and made that month weaker than May or July The close was unsettled at the same as yesterday's finish to ⅛c lower May [illegible]

Oats started unchanged to ⅛c lower May 4 [illegible] and later held near the initial range

Provisions were firm

Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago Nov 4—WHEAT—No 2 hard [illegible]

CORN—No 2 mixed 74@75c No 3 mixed [illegible] No 4 mixed 71@73c No 5 mixed 67@68c No 6 mixed 66@67½c No 2 yellow 76@78c No 4 yellow 77@75 No 5 yellow 67@69c No 6 yellow [illegible] No 2 white 70c No 3 white [illegible] No 4 white 67@68c sample 62@66c

OATS—No 2 white 46½@48c No 3 white 44½@44c No 4 white [illegible]

RYE No 2 [illegible]

BARLEY 65@68

TIMOTHY SEED $4 50@5 [illegible]

CLOVER SEED $1 [illegible]

LARD $13 [illegible]

LIBS $13 [illegible]

CHICAGO CASH

Chicago Nov 24	Rec'ts	Con	Ex'd	Ago
Wheat	18	6	16	5
Corn	31	4	71	100
Oats	47	18	4	1
Rye	1			
Barley				

Kansas City Cash.

Kansas City No 4 WHEAT No 2 hard $1 02@1 10 No 3 red $1 06@1 09 December 99c May $1 04⅞ asked No 3 $1 1⅞ bid

CORN No 2 white 80@80½c No 3 mixed 76@77c No 4 white 75@76c No 2 white 68½c bid

OATS No 2 white 44c No 3 white [illegible]

St. Louis Grain.

St Louis Nov 24—WHEAT—CASH No 2 red $1 07@1 09 No 4 red $1 [illegible]

CORN No 2 yellow old 80c No 2 yellow new 80@80½c

OATS—No 2 white 45½c No 3 white 45½@45½c

CLOSE WHEAT—December $1 04½ May $1 09⅜

CORN—December 77½c May 78½c

OATS—December 44c May 44c

Peoria Cash Grain.

Peoria Ill Nov 24—CORN—Receipts 53 cars unchanged to 2 cents lower No 2 yellow 71@72c No 5 yellow 67@69c No 6 yellow 65@66c No 3 mixed 74c No 4 mixed 66c sample grade, 64c

OATS—Receipts 3 cars unchanged No 2 white 45½c No 4 white 44c

Toledo Seeds.

Toledo Nov 24—CLOVER SEED CASH PRIME—Old $13 40 new and November $13 50 December $13 55 January $13 75 February $13 85 March $13 70

TIMOTHY SEED CASH—Old $3 55 new and November $3 75 December $3 80 March $3 90

WEEKLY PROVISION AND GRAIN REPORT

Chicago Nov 24—Renewal of accord between Great Britain and France as to Germany has furnished a basis for higher prices this week in wheat here and so has strength of securities in Wall street. Compared with week ago wheat showed ⅞c to 1⅛c gain corn was at ⅞@1c decline to ⅛c advance oats varying from ⅛c off to ⅞@1c up and provisions fluctuating from 10c lower to 10c higher

Fine weather and increasing arrivals of corn pulled down prices for nearby deliveries of that cereal Meanwhile receipts of oats were scanty and the market advanced

Packers selling acted as something of a weight on provisions

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

New York, Nov. 24—Foreign exchange irregular, Great Britain demand $4.84¾; cables $4.84¾, France demand $5.42; Italy demand $4.32, Belgium demand $4.67; Germany demand 0.00000000000, Holland demand $38 04 Norway demand $16.66, Sweden demand $26 28 Denmark $17.33 Switzerland $17.47 Spain demand $12 97 Greece $1 60 Poland 0 00004 Czechoslovakia 2 86 Argentina $31.29, Brazil $5 90, Montreal 97⅞.

CATTLE PRICES CALLED STEADY

Supply Is Light; Top Hogs Go At $7.25 Figure.

BY L. C. GRUNDELAND
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Union Stock Yards Chicago Nov 24—Cattle supply was light today and no good steers were offered It was found that the final count would not reach the early estimate, and with nearly 100 received by big killers there was little for sellers to do Most of the sheep run also came to packers from other trading points and the market was only a nominal one About 9,000 hogs were held over from the day before and less than 1,000 were received by packers The trade was not active Car report for the local yards was 217

Receipts were 1 000 cattle 13 000 hogs 1 000 sheep and 300 calves

Cattle— Sellers had only a small number of hogs on hand and the trade was of little account Values were called steady compared with the day before This was at the week's low point for the general run of steers Total supply of cattle for the week fell short of last week's run but prices for the general run of stuff fell 25@35c for the period Strictly prime steers were little changed Best cows and heifers closed strong while canners and bulls also held well aClves dropped as much as $1 in many cases

Hogs — Hogs were steady today Top lots sold at $7 20@7 25 while some of the plainer packing lots went at $6 [illegible] Good grade stuff made $6 60@6 70 however While the trade was not active yet sellers did not have much unsold stuff at the close A week ago today best hogs sold at $6 95.

Sheep—Fat lambs were not able to hold steady during the week No prime animals were offered today and the trade was nearly more than a nominal one Choice fat lambs were quotable at $11 00@12 00 against $13 10 for the best lots at the close of last week Most of the trade was off [illegible]c for the period Feeders were weak to lower while aged mutton showed little change

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago Nov 24 CATTLE—Receipts compared with week ago fed steers and yearlings 25 to 35c lower better grades most decline top steers $11 50 handy $12 00 earlings $11 50 western grass steers steady also stock steers 25@40c higher vealers 50c@$1 00 to [illegible] and stockers and feeders 25c higher bulls fed steers and yearlings $8 25@10 [illegible] western grass steers $5 75@7 00 butchers cows and heifers $3 50@8 25 canners and cutters $ 50@3 00 vealers $5 00@8 [illegible] stockers and feeders $5 25@6 [illegible]

SHEEP—Receipts 1 000 today [illegible] about half direct fat sales choice wethers and fed westerns steady $1 50 for week 8 000 direct compared with week ago fat lambs and sheep 25c lower earlings 25@50c lower, feeding lambs 10@20c off top fat lambs for week $12 60 top western feeders $12 50 bulks fat lambs $12 00@12 50 yearling wethers $11 50@12 50 wether $7 50@8 25 fat ewes $5 00@6 [illegible] feeding ewes $11 00@12 50

HOGS—Receipts 13 000 fairly active steady to strong with Thursday's average bulk good and choice 200 to 300 pound butchers $7 00@7 [illegible] top $7 25 no real choice weight butchers included packing sows $ 50@6 75 desirable slaughter pigs to $6 25 estimated holdover 4 000 heavy hogs $6 95@7 25 medium $7 00@7 [illegible] light $6 30@7 00 light light $6 [illegible] packing sows smooth $6 [illegible] rough $6 [illegible] slaughter pigs [illegible]

Indianapolis Live Stock.

Indianapolis Nov 24—HOGS—Receipts 13 000 steady slow [illegible] $7 10@7 [illegible] lights $6 75@6 90 top [illegible] pigs $5 [illegible]

CATTLE—Receipts 100 steady cows $3 75@6 00 heifers $4 00@8 00 no steers calves steady $6 00@11 00

SHEEP—Receipts 100 steady [illegible] lambs $7 00@7 [illegible]

East St. Louis Live Stock.

East St Louis Nov 24—HOGS—Receipts 6 000 [illegible] lower top [illegible] $6 95@7 05 [illegible] 190 to 210 pounds $7 25@7 [illegible] packers [illegible]

CATTLE—Receipts 300 compared with week ago beef steers 10@25c higher [illegible] yearlings steady and heifers and common and medium heifers 50c higher [illegible] 25c higher good and choice light yearlings [illegible]

SHEEP—Receipts 100 [illegible] fat lambs and yearlings 25@50c lower [illegible] lambs and sheep steady top lambs [illegible] week $12 50 closing top $12 [illegible] well weight supply $11 50@12 00 best clipped lambs $11 75 choice 85 pound yearlings $10 00 top and bulk light mutton ewes $6 00 heavy ewes, $4 00

Peoria Live Stock.

Peoria Nov 24 HOGS—Receipts 500 steady to 10c lower top $6 90 lights $6 [illegible] $6 75 mediums $6 50@6 90 heavies $6 [illegible] packers [illegible]

CATTLE—Receipts light slow and weak top $8 00

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City Mo, Nov 24—CATTLE—Receipts 700 for week desirable steers and yearlings steady spots stronger plain and handy short feds weak to 15c lower she stock steady cows canners and cutters weak to 25c lower, bologna steady.

HOGS—Receipts 4 000 steady to strong packer top $7 00 shipper top $6 90

SHEEP—Receipts 500 for week lambs around 25c lower sheep steady to 25c higher

Cleveland Live Stock.

Cleveland Nov 24—(Bower & Bower report)—HOGS—Receipts 2 000 top $6 90 market 5 to 10c higher medium and heavy $7 40 to $7 50 Yorkers and mixed $7 35, pigs, $6 50 roughs, $5 75 stags, $4 50

CATTLE—Receipts 100 steady top $10 00

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts 1 400 steady 25c lower top sheep $6 50, lambs $12 50

CALVES—Receipts 300 steady top $11 00

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis Nov 24—WHEAT—Receipts 203 cars cash No 1 northern $1 08@1 11 No 1 dark northern spring choice to fancy $1 16@1 21 good to choice $1 13@1 15 ordinary to good $1 11@1 13, December $1 09 May, $1 15

CORN—No 3 yellow 70c

OATS—No 3 white, 39½@40½c.

FLOUR—Unchanged

New York Sugar.

New York, Nov 24—Raw sugar prices advanced to equal 7 73 centrifugal for prompt shipment. Refined unchanged.

STOCK PRICES STILL GAIN

New York Nov 24—Stock prices continued their rise in today's brief session with the specialties leading Dealings in some speculative favorites were curtailed because of the absence of a number of traders Low priced oils tobaccos and motor accessories developed several points strength while Studebaker and American Can made the best showing among the so called pivotal shares

Davison Chemical jumped 4½ points and U S Cast Iron Pipe, United Cigar Cosden Preferred and Eaton Axle sold to ¼@¾ points above yesterday's finish

The close was strong

FAST SALES

Allied Chemical & Dye	67
American Can	16
American Car & Foundry	158
American International Corp	41
American Locomotive	73½
American Smelting & Refg	68¾
American Sugar	5
American T & T	1 43¾
American Tobacco	158
American Woolen	73
Anaconda Copper	31
Atchison	97⅝
Atl Gulf & W Indies	15¼
Baldwin Locomotive	127⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	38⅝
California Petroleum	23
California Petroleum	21¾
Canadian Pacific	144
Central Leather	10
Cerro de Pasco Copper	43
Chandler Motors	51
Chesapeake & Ohio	80
Chicago & Northwestern	82¼
Chicago Mil & St Paul pfd	25¾
Chicago R I & Pac	27
Chile Copper	21
Chino Copper	39
Consolidated Gas	13
Corn Products	80
Cosden Oil	66
Crucible Steel	53
Cuba Cane Sugar pfd	18
Erie	12
Famous Players Lasky	93
General Asphalt	102½
General Electric	164
General Motors	14
Great Northern pfd	69
Gulf States Steel	102
Illinois Central	102
Inspiration Copper	60
International Harvester	53
Int Mer Marine pfd	18
Invine Oil	6
International Paper	61
Kelly Springfield	13
Kennecott Copper	30
Lima Locomotive	48
Louisville & Nashville	124
Mack Truck	38
Marland Oil	9
Maxwell Motors B	49
Middle States Oil	85
Missouri Kan & Tex (new)	13
Missouri Pacific pfd	88
New York Central	88
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Pacific Oil	66
Pan American Petroleum B	66
Pennsylvania	40
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Republic Iron & Steel	85
Sears Roebuck	133
Sinclair Consolidated Oil	9
Southern Pacific	88
Southern Railway	13
Standard Oil of New Jersey	103¾
Studebaker Corporation	93
Texas Company	34
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Tobacco Products A	64
Transcontinental Oil	2
Union Pacific	131
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U S Ind Alcohol	64
United States Rubber	71
United States Steel	93
Utah Copper	12
Westinghouse Elec	50
Willys Overland	13

LIBERTY BONDS

New York Nov 24 [illegible]
Second 3½s $90 [illegible]
Second 4s $98 [illegible]
First 4¼s $93 [illegible]
Second 4¼s $93 [illegible]
Third 4¼s $98 [illegible]
Fourth 4¼s $98 [illegible]
Total new 4¼s $99 [illegible]

NEW YORK SILVER

New York Nov 24 [illegible]
Mexican dollars 49 [illegible]

LIVERPOOL MARKET IS SLOWING DOWN

BY GEORGE D MOLLSON
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New York Nov 24—Whether due to conditions in the cotton market itself or to outside developments there has been a definite slowing down in Liverpool throughout the past week This tendency again manifested itself today when foreign quotations made only a moderate response to the sharp upturn on both American exchanges yesterday

Instead of rising about 20 English points as might have been expected January gained only six points and closed at 20 27d A week ago January abroad touched 20 47d while January in New York was 33 60 Today though January here sold around 4 75 or a cent above quotations of last Saturday January contracts in Liverpool were 20 English points below the best figures reached that day

Action of the foreign market combined with further pre-notice day liquidation of December left prices slightly easier during early trading The general list sold off about 10 points under scattered realizing but encountered active support on the light reaction and recovered the entire loss before the end of the first hour

Spinners takings were 405 000 bales this week compared with 398 000 last year, or an increase of seven thousand bales, This brought the total for the season to 3,877 000 against 4,673 000 last season or about 800 000 bales less thus far. There has now appeared in sight from the new crop 6 173,000 bales compared with 6 673 000 a year ago It is safe to assume that the total marketings of this season's production will exceed 6½ million bales by December 1

Chicago Produce.

Chicago Nov 24—BUTTER—Higher creamery extras 51c standards 47½c extra firsts 46½@50c firsts, 44@46c seconds 41@42c

EGGS—Unchanged receipts 2488 cases

POULTRY—Alive higher fowls, 13@19c springs, 19c, roosters, 12½c, geese, 18c, turkeys, 27c

POTATOES—Steady, receipts 32 cars, total shipment 576 Wisconsin sacked round whites, U. S No 1 85c@$1.05 bulk 80c@$1.10 Minnesota and North Dakota sacked round whites U S No 1 and partly graded 90c@$1.00 cwt, sacked Red River Ohios, 90@90c cwt Idaho sacked russets U. S. No. 1, $1 30@1 35,

Local Notices

DANCE AT SILVERMOON.
Tonight. Dusey's orchestra. Admission $1 per couple Checkroom free

DANCE TONIGHT.
Merry Men' 9 to 12 Adm 35c

ROUND DANCE AT FORSYTH.
Saturday, Nov. 24 Lee Homebrook's orchestra Hours 9-12.

SQUARE DANCE TONIGHT
Vic & Fritz Hall Park's Orchestra

Dance at Redmen Hall Tonight Greenwood's orchestra

NEW VICTOR RECORDS.
Old Fashioned Love, Fox Trot—Gibbs and His Gang
Charleston Medley Fox Trot—Gibbs and His Gang
Broken Hearted Melody Waltz—The Troubadours
Waltz of Long Ago—The Troubadours
Steamboat Sal Fox Trot Garber—Davis Orchestra
Down South Blues Fox Trot—The Virginians
Out There in the Sunshine With You—Burr
You Didn't Care When You Broke My Heart—Shaw
Come In We'll Gladly Play These For You
LINN & SCRUGGS
Music Dept Mezzanine Floor

Call Main 632 for Yellow Cab Baggage Service.

ONE CENT DROP IN CORN PRICE

Butterfat At 53; Spring Chickens 17c.

Cash markets were weak again Saturday and local station buyers marked off corn one cent a bushel both for the shelled and the ear corn

Oats and wheat remained unchanged

Packers allowed prices on hogs to stand although the market was weak even on small deliveries

In dairy products butter fat showed its first sign of weakness for many weeks and was marked down to fifty three cents a pound

Springs were set up on a par with hens in the poultry prices the first time that the younger chickens have been priced the same as the hens for some time

Local shippers are through with their Thanksgiving business as shipments for that market have been sent along both to the coast and to the middle eastern markets Few turkeys are being brought in by local growers

Grain

No 2 red wheat	86
No 3 red wheat	85
Oats	3
Corn No 4 shelled	9
Corn ear	68

Live Stock

Choice young hogs 200@ 30	$ 6 25@$ 6 5
Choice young hogs 150@200	6 00@6 [illegible]
Heavy sows	5 00@ 5 [illegible]
Choice steers 750 800 lbs	6 50@ 7 00
Medium steers, 500@900 lbs	6 00@ 6 00
Choice heifers 700 to 850 lbs	6 00@ 6 50
Good heifers 700 800 lbs	5 00@ 5 5
Choice cows 800-1000 lbs	5 00@ 5 50
Medium cows 900-1000 lbs	5 00@ 5 75
Cutters	2 00@ 3 00
Bulls	3 00@ 4 00
Spring lambs	9 00@ 10 00
Veal calves	8 00@ 8 00
Carmers	1 00@ 2 00

Butter and Eggs

Eggs, new	[illegible]
Storage butter	[illegible]
Butterfat f o b Decatur	53

Poultry

Hens, 4½ lbs. and over	17
Light hens and Leghorns	13
Springs 4½ lbs	17
Light springs and Leghorns	13
Young Tom turkeys	[illegible]
Old roosters	08
Hen turkeys	[illegible]
Old Tom turkeys	[illegible]
Geese	13
Ducks	[illegible]
Live pigeons doz	75

Hides

Green	06
Cured beef No 1	06
Calf skin 8 to 15 lbs	06
Horse hides	3 00

Today's Financial Notes.

New York Nov 24 New York banks gold reserve $703 000 000 New York Federal reserve bank credit $362 000 000

New York Produce.

New York Nov 24—BUTTER—Receipts 0654 Firm Eggs—Weak receipts 8 918 fresh gathered extras firsts 48@ [illegible] 53c

CHEESE—Steady receipts 118 [illegible] pounds

LIVE POULTRY—Weak receipts 2 [illegible] 20c dressed poultry [illegible] 31 [illegible] 46c

DEATHS.

MRS CHARLES PEARSON

The funeral of Mrs Charles Pearson will be held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the family residence 804 East Condit street

RECEIVES LETTER FROM WILSON

Secretary Answers Her Note About Armistice Day Speech.

Miss Madge Smith agent for The Review at Boody has just received a very nice letter from Ex-President Wilson through his secretary, John Boling acknowledging one she wrote Mr Wilson shortly after Armistice Day in which she told him of her pleasure in hearing all of his Armistice Day speech through a radio set she has installed in her home

Miss Smith derives great pleasure from "listening in" on the various programs broadcasted throughout the country

UNDERWOOD SEES NO DANGER IN EUROPE

Atlanta Ga, Nov 24—The United States is possessed of more potential power than any other nation and in using its moral influence in world affairs would not become involved in another war, Senator Underwood, Alabama, declared Friday in an address, criticising the Republican administration's foreign policy.

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PRODUCERS' MARKET BEST OF SEASON

Greater Variety Shown in Farm Bureau.

The third week of the producers market is the best that the market has had New producers appeared in the market Saturday [illegible] greater variety of produce was offered and there were many new customers and the produce sold more rapidly Eggs were sold as fast as they could be counted out to customers and they were very soon all sold Cottage cheese also disappeared very early

A good cottage cheese maker hasn't a chance on earth to take any of his product back to his family There were many chickens and ducks offered and fresh meats of all kinds Head cheese and pressed chicken were there by way of variety also many fruits and vegetables

THREE EMPTY BOOTHS

There were only three empty booths for Saturday morning and it is predicted that these will be filled next Saturday or by the next Wednesday The market will be open on the Wednesday before Thanksgiving for the first time making two market days in one week It is expected that poultry will predominate in the Wednesday market although there will of course be a great variety of other things

This was the first day for the cafeteria lunch and it was pronounced a success The noonday lunch will be a regular feature of the market from this time on The lunch privilege has been sold as a concession and the lunch will be served regularly by the same person

BROKERAGE FIRM $1,000,000 SHORT

[illegible] Nov [illegible] A Sawyer a member of the Dearborn firm of Channer and Sawyer for which [illegible] received was asked today whether [illegible] concerning the application for a receiver said to a Times Star reporter "We are failing for about one million dollars

GOLFERS MUST KEEP OUT OF THE WAY

New York Nov [illegible] injured [illegible] golfer owing his [illegible] that his [illegible] offers decided [illegible] tice [illegible] used to avoid [illegible] land salesman the $1 [illegible] he demanded of [illegible] bankers son

CAPPER TO SUPPORT CURTIS FOR LEAD

Washington Nov 4 [illegible] Capper Republican Kansas chairman of the farm bloc announced today he favored Senator Curtis of Kansas Republican whip for president of the senate in [illegible] Senator Cummins Republican Iowa

Selection of Senator Curtis as presiding officer has been [illegible] generally as the [illegible] conclusion

PATTON FUNERAL AT MOWEAQUA

Moweaqua Nov 4 — On Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock the funeral service for Mrs P A Patton of Bunker Hill was held at the Presbyterian church Rev Mr Hives officiating The music was furnished by Mrs A D Kysel Mrs Leslie Smith Mrs Thurman Adams and Mrs Kate Stults with Mrs Fran Stewart accompanist

The casket bearers were [illegible] of the deceased A J Patton Martin Van Horn Mark Peck Warren Patton Frank Compton and Floid Compton

Miss Edna Day left Friday for Pontiac Mich, for two weeks in the Vance Day home She spent a day and night with the Kilforns in Chicago en route

UNION SERVICE

The union Thanksgiving service will be held at the Christian church Wednesday night Rev E J Tobin will make the address Everybody is urged to attend this service Music will be furnished by a chorus from the grades

The Gleaners class of the Methodist church will hold their annual bazaar and bakers sale Wednesday at Harry Long's store Phone your orders to Miss Mattie Snell or Mrs Charles Hipes

Ted Calzell who is working in Decatur was here Friday

DEEDS RECORDED

W H Smith to Antonina Forbetink lot 11 block 3 Powers fourth addition $3 900.

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Lost and Found.

[illegible]

AUTOMOBILES

Automobile Agencies.

DECATUR USED CAR MARKET—204 E Wood St [illegible] Dealers in high grade used cars

Automobiles For Sale.

BALTIMORE—1921 model good [illegible] Harrison 1885

BUICK—Touring car In [illegible] order [illegible] Bargain at [illegible] Main St Main [illegible]

BUICK—[illegible] passenger touring car [illegible]

BUICK SIX [illegible] A1 condition, [illegible]

CASH WAITS THE MONEY

FORD—Late 1923 cabriolet in fine condition Hassler shock absorbers, long wheel, spare tire

BUICK—1923 touring Good condition

GUY C PERRE AUTO EXCHANGE.
J Q. White Mgr
121 N CHURCH MAIN 188.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®
NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

Something For The House? Look Under Classification 59 Before You Buy It

AUTOMOBILES

Automobiles For Sale. 11

[illegible] ROADSTER—Fine condition. [illegible] Yonney and Co.

[illegible] A brand new 1924 touring with extra equipment. A bargain at a special low price [illegible] down, balance easy terms. Hendric & Ehler. "Fair [illegible] Square. 316 E. Main. M. 172.

[illegible] USED CAR VALUES—

[illegible] Bought new [illegible] 1923. This popular four passenger [illegible] should draw your immediate attention [illegible] has been very carefully [illegible] equipped and priced [illegible]

[illegible] About three [illegible] Sedan [illegible] of extras. Looks and [illegible]

[illegible] front and rear [illegible] tires [illegible] wheel. Bought [illegible] 1923, but has been thoroughly [illegible] in our shop.

[illegible] SEDAN. About one year old [illegible] front and rear bumpers [illegible] heater, numerous other extras.

[illegible] TOURING. Six months old, starter and demountable [illegible] wheel, spotlight [illegible] Has been carefully used.

[illegible] touring cars. Two Ford Roadsters with starters, a Ford Sedan, 2 1921 Chevrolet tourings, Dort touring and a 1922 Chevrolet coupe. Terms of [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] FRANKLIN [illegible] MAIN 1151

[illegible] PARK

[illegible] overhauled [illegible] 1922 [illegible] Has several extras. A real bargain. [illegible] Sales Co. Main 145. 280 [illegible]

[illegible] good running condition [illegible] Starr [illegible] Main [illegible]

[illegible] used tires and paint. [illegible] Priced right. [illegible] Garage. [illegible] E. Wood. Main 1280.

[illegible]

[illegible] perfect shape, priced [illegible]

[illegible] from $250 up.

[illegible] models [illegible] and three [illegible] running order [illegible] if you want a [illegible] see these.

[illegible] 1924 [illegible]

[illegible] on passenger [illegible]

[illegible] CHEAP [illegible] Dodge [illegible]

[illegible] MAIN 879

[illegible] Ave. Paris [illegible]

[illegible] good [illegible] good [illegible] at our [illegible] Main 172

[illegible] good [illegible] Starr, 344 [illegible]

[illegible] touring, overhauled and in first-class condition. [illegible] Garage, 16 E. Wood. Main 1280.

[illegible] About 4 months [illegible] our price for [illegible] 330 N. [illegible] Main 381

[illegible] touring [illegible] Main 1282

[illegible] USED CAR BARGAINS—

[illegible]

[illegible] CHEVROLET 1922 [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] & SON [illegible] MAIN 807

[illegible] SALE

[illegible] one [illegible] about [illegible] $75 and $100

[illegible] TERMS ARE SO EASY—That anyone can own one. On the [illegible] down, and the [illegible]

[illegible] ARE ALL IN GOOD RUNNING ORDER. We do not sell a used Ford unless we can get service out of it. Sale [illegible] Nov. 24. Open evenings.

[illegible] MOTOR CO

[illegible] PRAIRIE MAIN 388 389

[illegible] USED CARS—

[illegible] touring [illegible] rooms.

[illegible] sedan [illegible] new

[illegible] 1923 touring [illegible]

HUDSON—1923 speedster. A special job.

OVERLAND touring in all models, and other cars.

[illegible] HEDGES

[illegible] S. MAIN ST. MAIN 100.

AUTOMOBILES

Automobiles For Sale. 11

USED CARS—Let us sell your Ford coupe or sedan. Adams & Thompson. 502 N. Main. Main 2661.

USED CAR BARGAINS—

BUICK, REO, CHANDLER—Touring cars, from $250 to $450.

BUICK ROADSTER—Fords, all models $50 to $300.

A TRADE—For all kinds of cars.

C. W. ADAMS FORD DEALER.

CERRO GORDO AND MONTICELLO

Auto Trucks For Sale. 12

VIM TRUCK—Looking for a light delivery truck? This bargain at $125 with good tire and in fine running order will give lots of service. W. C. Starr, 330 N. Main St., Main 281.

Auto Accessories. 13

BATTERIES—New U. S. L. All kinds of electric work done on autos. Lesser Battery Station. 310 E. William. M. 134.

TIRES—Sacrificed, 30x3, 30x3½, $5. All other sizes. $4.50 Used tire store. 366 E. Eldorado. Open 7 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Repairing—Service Stations. 16

AUTOMOBILE REPAIRING—Work reasonable and guaranteed. Auto ignition. Robertson's Little Wonder Garage, 1027 N. Clinton. Fair. 1262

DAY AND NIGHT SERVICE—Towing and auto repairing. Emerson Auto Parts Co. 218 N. Fifth St. Main 215

WELDING—CUTTING, BRAZING, RADIATOR REPAIRING. EMERSON AUTO PARTS CO WILLIAM & FIFTH MAIN 2.3.

Automobile Painting. 16A

AUTO PAINTING—Special prices for this week, on painting your car. We enamel and base your fenders and hoods, remove dents and straighten fenders. Auto Body Works 302 E. William St. Main 13s.

BUSINESS SERVICE

Business Services Offered. 18

DEAD STOCK REMOVED—In town or country, free. Vaults cleaned. Cal Gardner, city scavenger. Main 4905.

Building—Contracting. 19

BUILDING WRECKING—We buy and wreck brick or frame buildings of any kind anywhere in Ill. Decatur Disposal & Fuel Co 421 Wabash Ave. Main 1670

Cleaning, Dyeing, Renovating. 20

LEAVE YOUR DIRT AT MERIDITH'S—OUR MODERN, SCIENTIFIC WAY OF RUG CLEANING REMOVES THE DIRT AND GERMS BUT LEAVES THE RUG UNHARMED. DRY CLEANING—SHAMPOOING. MERIDITH CLEANING CO. 320 E. CERRO GORDO. MAIN 205

R[illegible]—Shampooed with the Hamilton Beach machine guarantee satisfaction. Vacuum cleaners rented. Main 4315.

Dressmaking—Millinery. 21

HEMSTITCHING—Let us give you special attention on your Christmas [illegible] bringing it in now. Main [illegible] specials. We are the originators of these machines and employ only [illegible] operators Singer Sewing Machine Co. [illegible] Main Phone Main 1161.

Hairdressing, Massage, Manicuring. 21A

MARCEL & WATER WAVING—[illegible] facial and scalp treatments [illegible] Keller Beauty Shop. 126 S. Water. [illegible] 1013

Laundering. 22

FAMILY WASHINGS—Also ironing. Will call for and deliver 1443 W. Forrest.

WASHINGS—Wanted. Call for and deliver. Best of reference. Fair. 782.

Moving, Trucking, Storage. 23

DAVIS LIVERY—Main trunks 50 cts Moving by load. Storage $1.00 up. Warehouse Office 527 N. Union Main 349.

HAULING—Coal hauling and hauling of all kinds. Call Fairview 732

KEEP MOVING, PLEASE—

VANS—TRUCKS—DRAYS—For hauling anything, anywhere.

STORAGE—Our storage department affords you a clean and safe place for storing household goods and merchandise.

PACKING — SHIPPING — MOVING—Use Meridith equipment for satisfactory service.

MERIDITH MOVING & STORAGE CO.

320 E. CERRO GORDO ST. MAIN 205

MOVING & TRUCKING—Long haul our specialty. Reasonable rates. Main 4017.

Painting, Papering, Decorating. 26

PAPERHANGING—And painting. First-class work. C. Dady. Main 3018.

PAPERHANGING—Of all kinds, inside painting, 1st-class work, guaranteed. M. F. Condon. Fairview 2383.

Professional Services. 28

CHIROPRACTIC—Adjustments will maintain your health. G. F. Hempler, D. C. Main 7167. 2nd floor. Kresge Bldg.

R. C. OR. A. S.—

[illegible] Ear, Nose and Throat, Of Springfield, Ill. Consultation days the first and third Tuesdays at offices of Dr. Tobey (Dentist), 330 Standard Life Bldg., Decatur, Illinois.

Repairing, Refinishing. 29

CLOCKS REPAIRED—At your home. All work guaranteed. Call Main 3071 or Main 1063.

FURNITURE REPAIRING—Any other repairs about your home. Home Repair Shop. 316 East Division. Fairview 1667.

REPAIRING—Now is the time to have your flues repaired; don't wait until it snows. Also plaster patching and paper hanging. If you want your furnace repaired call Adam Page, Main 417.

ROOFING—Now is the time to get that new roof. Agent for the Mule Hide Asphalt Shingles and Roofing. Standard Roofing Co. 305 Citizen Bldg., Main 1766.

WATCH—And jewelry repairing. Reliable work at low prices. Gottlieb's Jewelry Store, 134 Merchant St.

W[illegible]—Furnace repairing, tin work of all kinds. Prices you can afford. Quick service. Oakland Hardware Co., 124 S. Oakland. Main 1230.

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Female. 32

EXPERIENCED GIRL—For housework. No laundry, small house. No children. Good salary. State reference. Address P. O. Box 135.

FIFTEEN WOMEN WANTED—TO TIP CHICKENS. APPLY AT ONCE. WALLINS POULTRY HOUSE.

GIRL—Experienced, to work in Candyland Confectionary.

HOUSEWORK—Girl for housework and care of children. No washing. Main 398. 1034 S. Franklin.

LADIES—Learn beauty culture. We teach the work quickly and equip your shop or furnish positions at top wages. Write for free catalog. Moler College. 105 S. Wells St. Chicago.

WHITE GIRL—Experienced, for general housework. Mrs. F. W. Kaiser, 478 W. William. Main 6651.

WOMAN—Wanted to help in kitchen Staley Mfg Co Restaurant.

Help Wanted—Male. 33

DELIVERY BOY—wanted at once. Morris Greenberg Tall Shop. 138 E. Main.

JANITOR—White or colored. Must be dependable, willing to work and able to furnish references. A good steady job for right party. Box 442 care Review.

MAN—And team to shuck corn. Pay Tc and give board. Fair 482.

MEN—6 young men, university boys preferred, to canvass city, during spare hours. Call Main 716.

MEN NEEDED—We can use two ambitious men with cars; best references required. If you can qualify we can pay you about $40 per week. See Mr. Shanklin, 637 Standard Life Building.

TWENTY LABORERS—WANTED AT NEW SEWAGE TREATMENT PLANT. TRUCK LEAVES COR. W. MAIN AND CHURCH STREET AT 6:30 A. M. COPE AND FISHER

Salesmen and Agents. 35

INSURANCE—Unusual opportunity for capable man to handle general agency for monthly accident and health insurance; commission contract only; give age and present position in first letter; spare time connections considered. C. H. Moyer, Vice President, United States National Life and Casualty Company. 29 South La Salle street, Chicago.

MAN—Wanted: To sell Rawleigh Quality Products direct to consumers in Macon county. Pleasant permanent, profitable business. Little capital needed. Make practically every family a steady satisfied customer. Workers make large steady income. Give age, occupation, references. W. T. Rawleigh Co., Dept. 710, Freeport, Ill.

Situations Wanted—Female. 36

NURSING—Wanted, by young lady. Invalid or convalescent cases; about 8 hours each day. Experienced, has references. Address Box 433, care Review.

Situations Wanted—Male. 37

MAN AND WIFE want work on farm for bachelor or widower; experienced, no children. Address Box 440, care Review.

SALES OR CLERICAL POSITION—Wanted. Competent to fill most any position Box [illegible] care Review.

[illegible]—Desired by young man, as [illegible] accountant, age 27. Best references. Main 1278.

FINANCIAL

Business Opportunities. 38

[illegible]ERY—Stock and fixtures, doing excellent good business. Stock and fixtures will invoice about $1,200. Over $1,400 business in October. Rent very reasonable. [illegible] want this store. [illegible]

LUNCH ROOM—Good business, big profits. Wonderful opportunity for man and wife. Forced to sell. Bad health. Address Box [illegible] care Review.

POOL ROOM—For sale. Best pool town in Illinois. Fine business, no chips, all cash. Old reliable location. A. G. Tabb, 100 N. Main St., Petersburg, Ill.

RESTAURANT—Confectionery and light groceries for sale or trade. For sale 1 well machine. Call 1023 N. Water

Money to Loan. 40

CITY PROPERTY—See us for loans on city property. Good mortgages for sale. Schoenle & O'Mara. Phone Main 2205. 123 E. Main street.

REAL ESTATE LOANS—ALL KINDS OF INSURANCE. JOHNSON & HOBB. 127 E. PRAIRIE ST.

$50 COSTS $1.75—

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MERCHANDISE

Articles For Sale. 51

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STENOGRAPHER'S DESK and chair, four small office chairs, large table, large roll top desk, swivel chair, large arm chair, 9x12 Axminster rug, used four months. 626 Standard Life Bldg. Main 2908.

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Building Materials. 54

ROOFING—General asphalt slate surface roofing $2.15 per roll; Rubberette, $1.20. R. M. Black Hardware, Gebhart Block.

Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers. 55

COAL—Can give you prompt motor truck service; good, clean, lump coal, $6.23; furnace coal $5.75. Main 5790. M. L. Hooker & Son.

COAL—Riverton furnace egg, $5.75 ton, 6 in. lump, $6.25 ton. Decatur Disposal & Fuel Co. 421 Wabash Ave.

COAL—Try our Springfield lump coal. More heat, less ash. Geo. E. Church, 901 W. Sawyer, M. 6569.

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MANURE—At Meridith's barn, $1 load, delivered. Call Main 205.

Good Things To Eat. 57

APPLES—$1.00 up. 400 N. Main St. or Wood's Fruit Farm. Bring basket. County 283 ring 13. C. W. Koch.

GEESE—For Thanksgiving. Call Fairview 2123.

HONEY—Strained 25c lb; 10-lb. $2.25, absolutely pure. Main 4083. 2121 N. Water.

Household Goods. 59

BABY CARRIAGE—Reed, $15; kitchen cabinet, $2. 1702 Whitsell Ave.

BED ROOM SUITE—Of beautiful fumed oak. Dressing table and chair, dresser and bed. Like new. Real bargain. Park St. Furniture Store. Main 879.

COAL RANGE—6-hole, with reservoir and warming closet, $30. 612 E. Condit St. Main 4190.

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FEATHER MATTRESSES—Made from feather beds. Small cost. Decatur Mattress Factory. 1025 N. Water. Main 1606.

FURNITURE—Bought, sold, rented. Goods sold on E. Z. payments. Save money here. Davis Furniture Storage, 527 N. Union St. Phone M. 245.

FURNITURE & STOVES—Wanted. We pay best cash price. Globe Furniture Co. 825 N. Water. Main 2457.

GAS RANGE—Gas heater, electric iron. Almost new 9x12 linoleum rug, 2 9x12 rugs. 408 E. Division. Fair. 627.

GAS RANGE—Kitchen cabinet, ice box, bed, chairs, rugs, player piano, dresser, canned fruit. 167 E. King.

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LARGEST—And lowest priced stock in Central Illinois.

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MERIDITH STORAGE & FURN. CO.

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WE ARE ANXIOUS TO HELP YOU—Solve your home outfitting problems and are constantly striving to assemble complete furnishings that will look well in your home and can be bought at a small outlay of cash. Look over this list and see how well we have succeeded.

THIS OUTFIT—Consisting of a dresser, sideboard, kitchen cabinet, clock, 6 diners and table, 2 rockers, good brass bed, new mattress, spring, davenport, bookcase, library table, sewing machine and 3 rugs, can be bought for $187.50 on very easy terms.

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Household Goods. 59

HEATER—Superior Air Tight, No. 18. Combination bookcase and writing desk, kitchen cabinet base. 760½ N. Church. Main 3800.

RANGE—1st-class, all cast, 6-hole, reservoir, warming oven. Also good Florence heater. Bargains. Park St. Furn. Store, 248 N. Park St. M. 879.

SEWING MACHINES—All makes. New and used. $5.00 up. Terms to suit. Taylor Music Co. 241 E. Eldorado. Main 827.

STOVES—Get our low prices on heaters and ranges. Easy terms. Eldorado Furniture House. 436 E. Eldorado.

STOVES—We will pay cash for your used stoves and furniture. E. C. Rose, 866 N. Water. Main 4374.

Jewelry and Watches. 60

WATCHES & DIAMONDS—Unredeemed goods of high quality at ½ original cost. Abe's Reliable Loan Bank. 121 Merchant.

Musical Instruments. 62

PIANO—An upright mahogany piano. $75. 761 W. Decatur St.

PIANO TUNING—Lowest prices consistent with best work. Best references. W. C. Hopkins. Fairview 182.

PLAYER PIANO—A Hobart M. Cable in a Burl walnut case. Bench, scarf and rolls at a "move quick price." Terms to suit. Emerson Piano House. 148 N. Main St. Main 215.

STEINWAY—AND LYON & HEALY PIANOS. WM. GUSHARD CO. MAIN 4391

TROMBONE—Silver finish, valve type. Bargain. Park St. Furn. Store, M. 879.

VICTROLA—Mahogany case with records. Reasonable. Main 6070.

LINN & SCRUGGS PIANO BARGAINS—

USED PIANOS—A few used pianos in good condition suitable for students beginning in music. These pianos are priced right and offered on weekly or monthly payment plan.

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LINN & SCRUGGS MUSIC DEPT.

Radio Equipment. 62A

RADIO OUTFIT—Fine working order. Call at 1441 W. Wood, after 4 p. m.

Seeds, Plants, Flowers. 63

SHADE TREES—All kinds for sale. 1130 E. Leafland. Fairview 200.

Specials at the Stores. 64

MOLESKIN PANTS—Men's extra heavy, waterproof, cuff bottom, well tailored. Special at $3.24. W. Rosenberg. 128 S. Water.

OVERCOATS—Some real values in men's and young men's up-to-date overcoats. Priced at $18 and $25. Abe Friedlander, 134 Merchant.

SHEEPSKIN COATS—Men's and boys' heavy lined coats, $15 values at $8.95 and $6.95. A. Friedlander, 134 Merchant.

Wearing Apparel. 65

OVERCOAT—Gentleman's dark grey. Call Fairview 1485.

Wanted—To Buy. 66

ELITE FURNITURE STORE—We pay cash for your used furniture and stoves. We repair all kinds of stoves. 802 N. Water. Main 461.

MUSICAL GOODS—Furniture and stoves. Highest cash prices. Park St. Furn. Store. M. 879.

USED FURNITURE WANTED—We will buy your used furniture. Perhaps you have some good used furniture in your home that is taking up room you need for other things. Phone us. We will call for it and pay you good cash prices. Call Main 205.

ROOMS AND BOARD

Rooms With Board. 67

UNION ST., N., 1043—Heated room with board for 2. Main 3417.

ON CAR LINE—Front room downstairs adjoining bath room. Private family. Board if desired. Main 1865.

Rooms Without Board. 68

EDWARD ST., N., 1055—2 modern furnished rooms, for young men. Fair. 843.

EDWARD ST., S., 441—Nice modern furnished room, good heat. Main 4123.

MACON ST., W., 1030—Modern furnished front room for 1 or 2. Main 3767.

MAIN ST., E., 1315—Room in large modern home, for lady. Reference positively required. Main 881.

MAIN ST., N., 1136—Modern furnished room, in private home with couple. Large closet. Gentlemen preferred. Main 6660.

MAIN ST., E., 586—Modern furnished rooms, suitable for 2; gentlemen preferred.

MAIN ST., S., 445—modern sleeping rooms, private entrance; $1.25 a week up.

MAIN ST., W., 280—One small, modern, sleeping room for rent.

MAIN ST., W., [illegible]—Modern room in private family.

PACKARD ST., W., [illegible]—[illegible] warm room, for 1 or 2. Large closet. Main 6606.

PRAIRIE AV., W., 430—Furnished room, Modern. Kitchen privileges. Middle-aged lady preferred.

ROOMS AND BOARD

Rooms Without Board. 68

UNION ST., N., 8[illegible]—Furnished room, main floor, private entrance; with or without kitchen privileges to one or two ladies employed.

WOOD ST., W., 442—Modern furnished room, close in. Steam heat. Gentleman [illegible]

ROOM—Modern, sleeping room, private entrance. Breakfast if desired. Main. 2198.

ROOMS—Modern, furnished rooms; two blocks from post office. Address Post Office Box 284, Decatur, Ill.

Rooms for Housekeeping. 69

BROADWAY, S., 446—3 large front furnished rooms for l. h. k.

CALHOUN ST., N., 257—4 modern furnished rooms. Hot water. M. 6226.

CLINTON ST., N., 1347—2 modern furnished rooms.

COLLEGE ST., N., 1103—Large front room, with large closet and kitchenette; adjoining bath room. Adults only. Fairview 105.

DECATUR ST., W.—2 furnished, steam heated, l. h. k. rooms. Bus line. Main 879.

EDWARD, N., 119—2 unfurnished rooms City heat, kitchen privileges. Main 6637.

ELDORADO ST., E., 1256—2 furnished rooms, all modern. Main 2400.

ELDORADO ST., W., 1146—2 nicely furnished rooms, sleeping porch, thoroughly modern.

FRANKLIN ST., S., 601—Two large, clean, modern l. h. k. rooms. $6.

JACKSON ST., N., 527—Furnished or unfurnished l. h. k. rooms. Garage. Fair. 1808.

LEAFLAND ST., E., 1126—Two, furnished, modern, l. h. k. rooms. Fairview 200.

MACON ST., E., 344—Two modern furnished housekeeping rooms. To adults.

MAFFIT ST., S., 1374—3 unfurnished front rooms. $15.

MAIN ST., E., 361—Furnished rooms, close in; steam heat. Fairview 632

MAIN ST., E., 426—L. h. k. rooms. Garage for 2 cars. $10. Barn for 6 horses $10. Call Fairview 70.

MAIN ST., N., 319—Two inside modern unfurnished rooms. Call Main 1576.

MONROE ST., N., 860—2 modern connecting rooms, first floor, private entrance.

MORGAN ST., N., 890—Three, modern, l. h. k. rooms. Adults only.

ORCHARD ST., E., 260—Nice clean furnished rooms for light housekeeping. $4 per week.

PACKARD ST., W., 245—Large furnished room and kitchenette. Main 4465

PRAIRIE AVE., E., 664—Two modern, l. h. k. rooms; reference required. Main 2873

PRAIRIE AVE., W., 230—2 modern furnished l. h. k. rooms.

ST. LOUIS AVE., 1061—2 or 3 nicely furnished l. h. k. rooms, private family.

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

Apartments and Flats. 74

BROADWAY, N.—700 block; four-room modern flat. 441 Wabash ave. Main 1164.

EDWARD ST., S., 298—Modern 5-room, unfurnished apartment with garage.

PRAIRIE AVE., W.—400 block; two, large, furnished or unfurnished rooms; sleeping porch, bath, steam heat; garage; never rented before; unusually nice. Fair. 729.

SMALL LIVING ROOMS—Also 6-room flat all steam heated. J. L. Drake, 430 N. Main St.

WATER ST., N., 522—Two 5-room apartments. $50 each. C. H. Pierce & Son. Main 178.

Business Places For Rent. 75

HARRISON & GRACELAND—Store building, suitable for cash grocery and community store, $27.50. Also 4-room flat not modern, $17.50. Call Fairview 70.

Houses For Rent. 77

DECATUR ST., W.—Eight-room, modern house. Inquire at 1069 West Decatur.

DIVISION ST., E., 224—5-room modern house. Possession Dec. 1st. Main 2847.

EWING AVE., 446—6-rooms, all modern. Garage. Newly decorated. Main 2810.

FAIRVIEW AVE.—Furnished five-room modern bungalow. Call Fairview 1337.

JASPER ST., S., 838—Modern 6-room house. Immediate possession. Main 6961.

JOHNS AVE., 887—7-room house and garage. Main 4480.

MARIETTA ST., E., 1135—5-room house. Call County 872, ring 4. Paul Bieng.

MONROE ST., N., 823—7-room modern cottage. Gas range, linoleum, shades, new furnace. Garage. J. T. Cahill. 183 E. Prairie.

NORTH ST., E., 1024—Five-room, modern bungalow, with garage. Main 4865.

ORCHARD ST., E.—2-room house, furnished or unfurnished. 4[illegible] N. Morgan.

PACKARD ST., W.—900 Blk. 6-room, all modern house, $45, with special rebate. Call Main 456, ask for Miss Staley.

PACKARD ST., W., 880—4 rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Modern. Give reference. Call Main 4697.

RAILROAD AVE., N., 1000—5-room house and garage, $16 per mo. Apply 1456 N. Calhoun.

STONE ST., S., 866—New, five-room, modern bungalow. Call Main 848 or inquire at 1108 East Cantrell.

UNION ST., N.—5-room furnished bungalow, large closets, 2 porches, cistern, good basement. Fairview 653.

WEBSTER ST., N., 800 BLK.—5-room modern furnished house. Garage. Immediate possession. Main 1228 or Fairview 848.

WILLIAM ST., E.—In 500 block, 5 rooms modern. $40 per month. Main 3844.

WILLIAM ST., E., 1232—6-room modern house. Inquire 1761 E. William.

WILLIAM, WEST, CLOSE IN—Eight rooms. Bath, furnace, electric lights. Phone Main 6624.

WOODFORD ST., N., 2147—4-room house. Apply 651 N. Water St. Main 4433.

CLOSE IN—6-room modern house. Convenient for roomers. $40. Main 4805.

COTTAGE—For rent, Dec. 1. 6-room all modern cottage, next door to owner. One block from school on car line. Cistern, gas stove and shades. $40 to the right party. Inquire 603 Millikin Bldg. Main 4060 or Main 1281.

Suburban For Rent. 78

HOUSE—5 rooms, outbuildings, mile from Staley's, near hard road. Wasson Studios.

For Rent. 81A

GARAGE—For rent at 276 W. Eldorado. P. J. Walsh.

MORGAN ST., N., 1221—Built-in new double garage. $4 per month.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Farms and Land For Sale. 82

MISSOURI—$5 down, $5 monthly buys 40 acres, truck and poultry land near town in southern Missouri. Price $200. Other bargains. Send for list. Box 155, Mt. Vernon, Ill.

165 ACRES—For sale or trade, Jackson County, Indiana. Improvements poor. [illegible] for this tract [illegible] Vevay, Indiana.

[illegible] ACRES—Good improvements, [illegible] miles to market [illegible] Champaign [illegible] 77 acres [illegible] Call James C. Lyons, Main 6408.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Houses For Sale. 84

CENTER ST., E., 621—6-room cottage, newly decorated, hot water heat. Lot 150x80. Call owner. Main 4672.

COLLEGE ST., N.—Six rooms modern. On full lot. East front. Concrete drive and garage. Can sell on good terms. Better see this. Frank L. Clark, 418 W. Wood St., Fairview 1949.

COLLEGE ST., N., 1369—Now vacant; six rooms, modern except bath tub; on nice east front lot, double garage; price, $4,000; terms, $1,000 down. E. Droerreb Jr. Main 2047.

CONDIT, E., 615—Close in. On car line. 5 rooms. Well and cistern. Cash or payments. By owner. Inquire 462 N. Church.

CUSHING ST., W., 700—New 5-room modern bungalow. On full lot. Paved street. Good reason for selling. See owner, 1252 E. Condit St.

FAIRVIEW AVE., S.—See R. E. Bunon about a six-room house, in good condition; easy terms, immediate possession. Also a five-room house on West Eldorado. Main 898. 124 East Prairie avenue.

FIFTH AND WILLIAM STS.—New 6-room thoroughly modern bungalow, oak floors, 2nd house north of E. William on Fifth. Real home. $4,500. $500 down. $45 per mo. Call owner. Main 1681 after 6 p. m.

GRAND AVE., W.—6 rooms practically new. Entirely modern, having oak floors, oak trim and doors, brick garage. South front lot. Possession at once. Good terms. Frank L. Clark, 418 W. Wood St., Fairview 1949.

GRAND AVE., W., 312—Six-room, modern house; bath and reception hall newly decorated in and outside, hardwood floors; full lot; immediate possession; reasonable terms. Inquire at premises.

GREEN ST., W.—5-room part modern cottage. Excellent repair. Full basement on lot. Paving paid. Possession $3,200. $[illegible] down, $70 per mo. H. E. Cannon. Main 2214.

ILLINOIS, N.—6 rooms with electric lights. Will take vacant lot on this. Pierce & Tarr. 133 E. Prairie Ave. Main 6862.

LEAFLAND AVE., E.—$500 down, balance monthly, buys a 6 room house with electric, on full lot with garage. Rice & Stringer, 119 S. Water St., Main 4931

LINCOLN AVE.—5-room bungalow. Modern. Has long living room, large bedrooms with roomy closets. Oak floors. Cistern and well. South front corner lot 60x150. House built three years. Near school. Drake & Hanselman. 330 N. Main. Main 1082.

LOVINGTON, ILL.—For cash or trade, a bargain in a new 7-room bungalow, 2½ blocks from business district, has lights, city water, basement, concrete walks, garage, paved street. Rents for $30. If interested. Write to owner. Post Office Box 2[illegible], Flat River, Mo.

MACON ST., W.—8 rooms and bath. Hardwood floors. 4 bedrooms. Floored attic. Full basement. Good furnace and gas heater. Coal bin. Full lot, south front. $2,500 will handle. Robt. Huston & Co. O[illegible] Farmer's State Bank, Main 5[illegible]

MACON ST., W., 3100—5-room bungalow. Large living room with fireplace, dining room with built-in seat and French doors, kitchen finished in gray enamel with breakfast nook and two built-in cabinets. Two large bedrooms and large bathroom. Hardwood floors and gum trim throughout entire house. Lot 40x150. The best built bungalow in the west end. Price $7,500 with $3,750 down. Rice & Stringer, 119 S. Water St. Main 4931.

MAIN ST., N.—7 rooms, water and electric lights. Take vacant lot. Pierce & Tarr. 133 East Prairie Ave. Main 6862.

MAIN ST., W.—8-room Dutch colonial. Brand new. Price $7,800. Call C. H. Pierce & Son. Main 128.

MORGAN ST., N.—7-room all modern. Good location, on corner lot with new store building on back of lot. Both streets paved. All assessments paid. Property is now renting for $70 per month. $4,500. Terms can be arranged. Main 2478 or 4873.

ORTH EAST—4 rooms, modern full lot, pavement all paid. Garage for 2 cars. One half cash. Balance mortgage. A home that is priced right. C. L. Nolte Realty Co., 813 Stand. Life Bldg., Main 1940

NORTH ST. E., 1400—$1400 down, balance as rent, buys a good 7 room house with toilet, gas, electric lights, sewer and basement. Full lot. On paved street. Price $3,000. Rice, Stringer & Workman, 119 S. Water St., Main 4931

OAKDALE ADDITION—5-room modern bungalow. On large lot. Garage. A real bargain. $1,000 will handle. Also a very fine lot, 48x130 in Oakdale addition. Has fine forest trees. W. F. Pickle. 146 E. Main St.

ORCHARD ST., E., 1119—8 rooms modern, full lot, newly painted. 2 fruit trees, grapes, strawberries. Call after 4:30 p. m.

SEVENTH ST., S.—5-room bungalow. New and modern. Price $3,650, $1,000 down. Pierce & Tarr. 133 E. Prairie Ave. Main 6862.

WITT ST., S., 126—Just one half block off E. Main St., $700 down and $40 per month buys this 5-room, all modern bungalow. Large living room, nice dining room, kitchen with built-in cabinets, two nice bedrooms and bath, full concrete basement. Concrete drive with garage. Gas stove, linoleum and shades go with house. All of this for only $4,600. Rice & Stringer, 119 S. Water St. Main 4931.

BUNGALOWS—All parts of the city. Small payments down. Bal. easy payments. J. L. Kurtright Co. 233 S. Park. Main 159.

BUNGALOW—Modern, full lot, paved street, garage, reasonable. Main 1705.

EAST SIDE—6-room house, full basement, concreted. On 2 lots. Plenty of fruit. Garage. $4,300. $1,500 will handle. Pierce & Tarr. Realtors. 133 E. Prairie Ave., Main 6862.

HOME—New 5-room modern home, garage. Paved streets. On car and bus line. Will sell on terms. Call Louise Clark. Fairview 1291.

NEAR STALEY'S—Four-room, all modern bungalow; built about three years; double garage; price, $2,800; $600 cash; $30 per month. R. E. Hasenfield. 116 Merchant street. Main 294.

NORTHWEST—5-room modern bungalow. Built for a home. Oak floors throughout. Garage. Owner leaving for Detroit at once. $1,000 to $1,500 handles. Bargain. D. D. Hill & Son, Main 373.

NORTHWEST—6-room all modern cottage; concrete driveway; garage. On full lot. Paved street, $4,750. J. R. Darden, Realtor. 247 W. Prairie Ave. Main 6620.

NORTHWEST SIDE—Near Roosevelt Junior High, new 6-room modern bungalow. Oak floors. On full lot. A beautiful home. $800 down, balance as rent. Main 3073 or 5878.

OWNER WILL SACRIFICE—For quick sale. 6 rooms modern. Terms. Main 1705.

WEST SIDE—Brick bungalow at $6,250. New 5-room bungalow. Easy terms. Price $5,300. $600 down buys 5 rooms, partly modern, $3,800. D. D. Hill & Son, Main 373.

5, 6 AND 8 ROOMS—Modern houses on west side. Farms, 80, 120, 160 acres for sale. Vacant lots. Fire insurance written. James C. Lyons. Main 6408.

$100 DOWN—Balance as rent buys a good 7-room house with gas, electric lights, city water, good basement, sewer; on lot 50x150. Paved street. On car line. Rice, Stringer & Workman, 119 S. Water St., Main 4931.

$100 DOWN—Takes nearly modern, extra large [illegible] near lake and downtown. [illegible] and evenings after 1:30.

$500 DOWN—Balance $30 per month buys a 6-room house with city water, two [illegible] electric lights; on full lot, paved street and car line. Income $75 per month. Rice & Stringer, 119 S. Water St., Main 4931.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Houses For Sale. 84

$500 DOWN—5-room modern house. Oak floors. Large lot and garage. Will sell on payments or would exchange for vacant lots. W. F. Pickle. 146 E. Main St.

Lots For Sale. 85

LOTS—Beautiful lots on fine location. Beautiful homes. Will sell on terms. Call Louise Clark. Fairview 1291.

Suburban For Sale. 87

5 ACRES—Fruit and truck ranch, has 300 cherry, apples and pears. Also fruit berries, to bear next year. Three more set in the spring. 3½ miles of Decatur, ½ mile to interurban station. Will take vacant lots. Main 381

8 ACRES—Close to city. Good 6-room house. Fine barn, good outbuildings. Zimmerman & Laforty. Mine [illegible] Main 2083

Wanted—Real Estate. 90

PROPERTY WANTED—I have buyers that will buy your property if the price is right. List now with J. Robertson, Gushard Bldg. M. [illegible]

PROPERTY WANTED—If your property is for sale and the price is right we can sell it quickly. List with us now. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 961.

REAL ESTATE WANTED—List us on your property. Cobb & Odor, Realtors. 613 Millikin Bldg. Main 1160.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Mary B. Leonard, deceased. The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Mary B. Leonard, late of the County of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the Court House in Decatur, at the January term, on the first Monday in January next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 23rd day of November 1923.

Whitley & Fitzgerald, Attorneys.
EDWARD F. LEONARD,
Administrator

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE

Estate of Ma[illegible] Shiele, deceased. The undersigned having been appointed administratrix of the estate of Mar. C. Shiele, deceased, late of the County of Macon and State of Illinois, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the Court House in Decatur, at the January term, on the first Monday in January next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 23rd day of November, 1923.

Webber & Webber, Attorneys.
CLARA [illegible] SICKEY
Administratrix

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Expect to Have $75,000 By Saturday Night.

WIRE TO ABSENTEES

Additions Being Made to First Subscriptions.

[illegible] work is occupying the attention of the workers in the Community [illegible] the growth of the Chest fund [illegible] It does grow nevertheless and the report as to its condition Saturday morning showed that it stood at $74,000 [illegible] indications [illegible] at least [illegible]

HELP THE HELPLESS

[illegible]

WHAT DID YOU SEE?

A. H. saw a woman and her little eight-year-old daughter dressed identically the same. They both wore gray astrachan Jacquettes, blue hats with silver trimming and blue skirts.

M. T. W. saw a woman nailing weather boards on a new house in the Johns addition. She had the best of workman beat both in skill and speed.

Mrs J. B saw three boys come out of a local theater where a picture was being shown in which a dog had a prominent part. They had been there three hours watching the picture through three times to see that dog perform.

F. P. saw an old gentleman on the street stop a newsboy selling Friday evening's Review and ask the boy what the weather indications were. The boy stopped and read the indications from the paper with a smile and the old man thanked him and walked on.

What did YOU see?

MARK ROUTE TWO THROUGH CITY

Special Markers At Route 10 Intersection.

State bond issue route No. 2 was marked through Decatur Saturday by the official markers for the Division of Highways. The route is west from Water on Division street to North Main south on Main to North West on North to Church and Wood where Route 2 intersects Route 10.

This is understood to be only a temporary [illegible] to be used until the improvements at the county bridge are completed and the pavement built south from Decatur. Then [it] is probably that traffic will be routed south on Water street to Cerro Gordo then east to Franklin and south on Franklin over the city bridge.

GIVES TURKEY TO DAY NURSERY

Mrs. John Rainey Makes Thanksgiving Gift.

Mrs John Rainey residing on the [illegible] Point road has donated the turkey to the Decatur Day Nursery which the children will enjoy at the regular Thanksgiving dinner in the nursery. Mrs Rainey has donated the turkey to the nursery for several years and this gift is always appreciated. During the last week [illegible] children were in attendance at several sessions.

Decatur

Have Those Plans Ready.

When J. F. Taussig president of the Wabash railroad put it squarely up to the representatives of Decatur at that conference on the grade crossing situation here that it is the move of the city now that the railroad company would like to have the definite plans for grade crossing elimination which the representatives of the city had worked out as practical with definite estimates as to the cost of carrying our those plans he placed Decatur in the position of having to produce something.

Myron H West who has drawn the only plans looking toward a solution of part of the grade crossing problem in this city has sent word that he will arrange for the conference suggested by Mr Taussig a conference with the engineers of the railroad and of the engineers of the City Planning commission.

Those plans should be very definite the estimates should be as close as preliminary estimates can be made and they should have the approval not of the City Planning commission but of the officials of the city of Decatur.

For Decatur will be asked to share part of the expense. How great a part this should be and how large a sum Decatur will be able to contribute to this big job is something over which [illegible] officials should be studying.

Mr Taussig indicated that the process will be one covering many years but he [illegible] is calling for what Decatur thought should be the plan, what it would cost and what part of that cost the community is willing to bear pointed toward the acceptance of the theory that grade crossing elimination in Decatur is bound to come.

That is a small step forward and Decatur should be very sure to have its plan with estimates, ready for discussion when the next conference is held.

If there is still more delay on this years old subject Decatur should see to it that it cannot be laid to its lack of action.

GET UTILITIES OF 24 MISSOURI TOWNS

I. P. L. Company Also Buys Monmouth Plant.

[illegible] public utilities [illegible] towns [illegible] newly [illegible] Light [illegible] utility properties [illegible]

[illegible]

BUY AT MONMOUTH

[illegible] the Illinois Power & Light [illegible] and the deal was closed Friday.

The last purchase is one of the development plan of the Illinois Power & Light Co in the section in and around Galesburg.

Monmouth is a city of 9,000 citizens miles west of Galesburg and twenty [illegible] miles from the Mississippi river. Monmouth college and a number of industries are located there.

Hit by Automobile.

Miss Gladys Blue, 1[illegible] East Prairie avenue who was struck by a new Ford touring car driven by Walter Dalton, Friday evening, is resting [illegible] at her home. She has a [illegible] but no bones are broken and it is thought her injuries are not serious. Mr Dalton was [illegible] to drive his car and [illegible]

WALTER FRAHLMAN TRANSIT INSPECTOR

Has Been Transit Clerk in Local Office.

ASSEMBLING ENGINES

Wabash Expects Thirty By First of Year.

Walter G Frahlman, who has been transit clerk in the Decatur office of the Central Weighing and Inspection Bureau has been promoted to the position of transit inspector. This fills the vacancy made by the appointment of Renolds to traveling inspector for the state of Illinois.

Frahlman was formerly in the C. I and W. freight office at Decatur and was considered an exceptionally good man. Some months ago, he took the position as transit clerk and the promotion now has been earned by him. The Decatur office of the bureau is supported by the four railroads into Decatur and maintains offices in the second floor of the Illinois Central depot.

The position of transit clerk has been assigned to J D Crane, who has been on the clerical forces at the Wabash freight house. Both of these appointments are effective Dec 1.

Expect Engines.

Superintendent of Motive Power George F. Hess of the Wabash said Saturday that he believed that most of the thirty new freight locomotives purchased by the company from the American Locomotive works, would be delivered before Jan 1. Word has been received from one of the inspectors that the work of assembling these engines has started and it was thought that the first one would be tested out by Dec 20. After that they are expected to come out at the rate of one a day or more.

No Shut Down Here

Despite the fact that many railroads are closing down some of their shops and reducing mechanical department forces the Wabash has no sign of a let-up and no lay offs in view in the opinion of Mr Hess. According to this official the shops are making a great record in turning out repaired cars and locomotives and the only cut that may come any time soon would be that in the car repair forces in the yards made necessary by the winter weather.

Buy New Crane

Superintendent Hess announced Saturday that a new eighteen-ton locomotive crane similar to the larger ones now at the shops had been purchased for use at the scrap docks and that it was already on its way to Decatur.

Official Changes

Official bulletins from the Wabash general offices at St Louis announce a number of official changes in the general offices. H G Holden who has been general freight agent has been made assistant freight traffic manager, a newly created position. G. G Harley an assistant general freight agent becomes general freight agent. J. A Barber, who has been chief of the tariff bureau has been named an assistant general freight agent and W. I Matton who has been an assistant to Barber now takes Barber's old position.

Escape Death.

Charles Thompson C. I and W. lineman out of Decatur and his helper are nursing sprained ankles and knees and many bruises but are still giving thanks for being among the living. The two on a little speeder car were coming into Decatur from the west Thursday afternoon and on going on the Wabash tracks at Boody headed for Decatur they neglected to ask the Boody agent how the fast passenger train No. 10 was. They were traveling toward Decatur at the rate of thirty miles an hour when they glanced back and saw No 10 bearing down on them not more than [f]ifty feet away. Both of them simply rolled off the speeder and it seemed that in the next instant, the train hit the speeder smashed it to bits and even ground up the tools. The linemen had to get a complete outfit speeder and tools.

Railroad Notes.

The Wabash was handling six new big freight locomotives of the 1400 type through Decatur Saturday for the Missouri Pacific.

Brakeman Gerdt of the C. I and W. who has been on the local run west out of Decatur, has bid in a through run out of Indianapolis and has gone to that city. Brakeman Wiesnand is filling the vacancy here temporarily.

The C. I and W. is now getting anywhere from five to fifteen cars of corn a day from the elevators between Decatur and Springfield. The road has also landed some additional stock business amounting to five or six cars a day. This is for the Kingan Company at Indianapolis and was formerly delivered to them here at Decatur by a connecting line.

It was reported at Wabash offices Saturday morning that the famous slow-order of three months' standing over the Edward street crossing, had not been lifted.

The bulletin for a conductor and two brakemen for the Wabash 7th district work train posted only a few days ago has now been cancelled on account of the work trains coming off.

Friday was another heavy freight day on the Decatur division of the Wabash with 2,650 loads and 1162 empties handled. While coal business is very slack still 177 cars were moved into Decatur on trains Friday, making one of the heaviest days for movement of coal in many months. One drag had a solid train of coal of seventy-four cars.

The grain business into Decatur was also heavier than usual. There were forty four cars of grain into Decatur during the day and of this number, thirty-eight were cars of corn.

Following a ten-day count on the number of engines crossing the different street crossings in Decatur in each twenty-four hours, the Wabash has decided to place a crossing watchman at the Seventh street crossing eighteen hours a day instead of twelve as at present. This is by far the busiest crossing in the city and 150 engines passed over it in one eight-hour period according to the count.

Engineer Brinkman of the Wabash freight service, who was thrown out of his job by the removal of the 13th district work train has bumped Engineer P. I Nichols from the Taylorville backup. Nichols bumped Buchanan from an east end pool turn and Buchanan bumped Cloney from a south end pool turn.

Engineers Dolson Gustafson Schilling and Baldwin all of the Wabash 9th and 13th districts, are marked laying off and Fireman Fowler is also marked off. Because of this the extra engineers board which was recently cut did not have enough men on it to fill these vacancies. Firemen Durbin, Covert, Stern and Winter all promoted men, were called upon to fill engineer vacancies.

Fireman Jimmie Nally has bumped Drais from a Wabash yard job and Drais has bumped Draper from the yards. Fireman Kirk has also bumped Fireman Howard. Fireman Darnell on a hostler job is laying off.

The five 9th district freight pool calls marked upon the board Saturday morning were No 96 three No 90s and No 8[illegible] all highballs.

Because of a breakdown at the Wabash coal dock the engines could not be coaled there Friday or Saturday and a clam shell was being used to do the coaling. The coal dock was to be in shape by Saturday night however.

E H Shimer Wabash ticket clerk who has been laying off for a couple of weeks expects to return to his duties Monday morning.

Engineer John Dempster of the Wabash north end passenger service who has been in Montreal for about a year as inspector on Wabash engines in contract shops there, will soon return to Decatur, having completed the Montreal job. He will first take a thirty day leave of absence.

OPEN TO PUBLIC BUT BAR PRESS

Women Deans Refuse Reporter Entrance.

The fourth annual meeting of the Illinois Association of Deans began at 9:30 Saturday morning in Kaeuper Hall. The meeting was open to the public but not to the press. The reason given for barring Decatur papers was that one time while meeting in another city the conference was said to have suffered from a "malicious story in the newspapers in that city and [illegible] which the Decatur papers must suffer. The reporter was even barred from attending as one of the public.

Some of the women arrived Friday night in time for the informal reception given by Dean Lillian Walker for Dean Mary W. Green, of Rockford present president of the association. The majority of the members came in Saturday morning for the business session which began at 9:30. About fifty or sixty women attended the conference.

ADDRESS OF WELCOME

Dean Arthur Wald of Millikin gave an address of welcome and Dr Coleman Griffith, University of Illinois spoke on "Some Phases of the Problem of Mental Hygiene." The reports of the committees were also given at the morning meeting.

At 12:30 the women attended a luncheon given at the Yellow Lantern. There were about forty-five present for the luncheon.

The afternoon session began with an address by Dr. Grace Patten Conant of the Millikin University on "The Encouragement of Good Reading Among College Women." Dr Conant's talk was to be followed by an open discussion on the same subject lead by Miss Alice Miller Illinois Wesleyan College. Miss Mary C. Courtenay Dean of Girls at the Lindblom High School in Chicago was to speak on "How Young People Spend Their Leisure Hours." This subject was also to be followed by an open discussion led by Miss Eloise Tremaine Ferry Hall Lake Forest.

FROM ALL OVER STATE.

Deans of women are here representing schools from all over the state including Miss Iva C Pearce, Dean of Woman at Augustana College, Rock Island, Miss Maria Leonard University of Illinois, Miss Alice Miller, Dean at Illinois Wesleyan, Miss Katherine Green, Lombard College in Galesburg and Miss Eloise Tremaine of Ferry Hall in Lake Forest.

Millikin students and girls from Aston Hall assisted Mrs Lillian Walker in welcoming visitors to the city. The girls were the Misses Mary Ozmant, Lola Tucker, Virginia Odell, Phillis Valetine, Alsace Sullivan, Josephine Sturgeon, Martha Colvin.

PERSONALS

Rev and Mrs J. W. Boggess who left Decatur for Florida where they will spend the winter, arrived in Lynn Haven, Fla last Saturday.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

George Harrell, Louisville, Ill.	[illegible]
Eula King, Taylorville	20
Fred L. White, Decatur	Legal
Capitola G. McFarland, Decatur	Legal
Alfred Van Bauer, Decatur	32
Myr'le Tawel, Decatur	33
Chester Hizerman, Mt. Zion	21
Hazel Maybury, Mt. Zion	18
Thomas F. Monroe, Blue Mound	19
Hazel Attebury, Maroa	15
Wilbur Witt, Decatur	20
Catherine Moranto, Decatur	17

CLARA HIGGINS WINS SPELLING

Pleasant Grove Pupil Up Three Hours.

SPELLS 1400 WORDS

110 Pupils Take Part in Annual Contest.

Clara Higgins of Pleasant Grove school a tenth grade pupil, was the last on the floor at the close of the spelling contest held at Sunnyside school Friday evening. Clara won the large loving cup for her school and the smaller cup for herself, having spelled 1,400 words.

Paul Ellis of Turner school was the last eighth grade pupil to go down and this entitles Paul to represent Macon county at the state spelling contest in Springfield in December.

TICKETS TO SUPPER

The last five children on the floor were given complimentary tickets for supper.

Pleasant Grove school will be the one to provide for the giving of the contest next year.

There was a large attendance and the contest was greatly enjoyed. The names of teachers were drawn from a box to determine who should pronounce the words. This duty fell to the following teachers J. F Hursl, Geneva Kreig, Lucile Johnson, Hazel Uphaus, I. O. Baldwin, Beatrice Jostes, Mildred Carr, O. F. Davenport and Virgil [illegible] The contest closed at 11:10 o'clock.

FORTY ONE SCHOOLS

Forty-one schools had entered the contest making a total of [illegible] pupils. However only 110 pupils were present at the contest.

The pupils were one hour and twenty minutes spelling the list of 731 words which they been studying for some weeks. Out of that number only thirty were words were missed and every team [illegible] would be complimented on the work that had been done in preparation for the contest. Next an emergency list of 600 words was used and [illegible] one had studied. Out of this list only fifty two words were missed. A second emergency list chosen from Webster's dictionary was then used.

SCHOOLS

Following is a list of schools enrolled and the teachers:

Peck—Lulu Dobson
Kendal—Earle Johnson
Boland Are—[illegible] Vee
Maroa—Leo Conrad
White Hall—Mrs. Ada M[illegible]
Sunnyside—W. W. Sheffer
Forsyth—Mary Rubee
Macon—Cecilia Desiree
Mt. Zion—Geneva Kree
Rosedale—Ressie Krie
Parker—Velma Wilson
Elm Grove—Paul [illegible]
Rolling Spring—Hazel Sate
Argenta—Mrs. Fa[illegible]
Excelsior South—Olive [illegible]
Oreana—Merle [illegible]
White—Louise Gantz [illegible]
Prairie Center—Denise Hig[illegible]
Walker—Regina Prid[illegible]
Miller—Virgil Likes
Warrensburg—J. F. Hursl
Pine Mound—L. T. [illegible]
Willow Glen—Mrs. Perma Foser
Walnut Grove—Mrs. Tro Pardue
Salem—Mrs. Elizabeth Creen
Excelsior North — Mrs. Georgia Isaacs
Eldorado—Vivian Pollock
Peru—Mildred Clark
Milam Center—Vesta Sutton
Casner—Edna Felten
Dingman—Maude Cooper
Center Ridge—Corrise Denise
Pleasant Grove—O. F. Davenport
Oak Grove—I. O. Baldwin
Enterprise—I. Arthur Jeffry
East Strington—Elizabeth Robbins
Nevada—Beatrice Jostes
Davis—Hazel Uphaus
Brown—Effie Elkins
Turner—Mrs. Edith M. Daniel
Niantic—Mr. Foster

LINCOLN NO. 3 DOWN 600 FEET

Through Three Limestone Formations.

Lincoln oil well No. 3 northwest of Decatur has reached a depth of a little more than 600 feet and is now being cased with ten inch pipe. The drillers expect to find coal at a depth of about 600 feet and they are confident that the drill will strike coal within another day. But what is of greater interest, the well at the present depth has gone through three good limestone formations the first with a thickness of fifteen feet, the second of ten feet and the third of fifteen feet.

This shows that they are right on top of the oil formation. The state geologists are highly pleased with this outlook and they are confident that the well will strike oil. In No. 1 well only a show of lime was found in No. 2 well none at all.

NO TRACE FOUND OF GYM THIEVES

Took Valuables From Normal Football Players.

No trace of the thieves who broke into the Millikin gymnasium last Saturday during the Millikin-Normal football game and took valuables belonging to Normal players has been found and none of the goods has been recovered, according to Prof. Carl Head of the Millikin faculty.

The theft is supposed to have been committed by younger boys and a close watch is to be kept on the locker rooms during the remainder of the football season and in basketball season.

Yale Leads Harvard 7-0 End of Half

Harvard Stadium Nov 24—(P)— The Yale bulldog dashed into the rain soaked Harvard stadium this afternoon intent on a massacre upon the muddy gridiron that was almost a lake, and at the end of the first half lead Harvard 7 to 0.

The forty second annual dispute was attended by more than 50,000 persons.

MANY FUMBLES

Harvard kicked off to Richeson on Yale's ten yard line and he ran the ball back fifteen years. Yale punted to Harvard's twenty-five yard line where Lee fumbled and Diller of Yale fell on the ball. Yale attempted a forward pass but it was grounded and on the next play Neale circled Harvard's left end to the Crimson thirteen yard line.

The Blue's next two plays resulted in a seven yards loss. A Yale forward pass was incomplete and Harvard was penalized fifteen yards for holding. Yale fumbled and Harvard recovered the ball on its twenty-six yard line.

EXCHANGE PUNTS

Both teams exchanged punts until Yale punted over the goal line and Harvard put the ball in play on its twenty yard line. Both continued punting after short tries through the line.

The first period ended with the ball in Yale's possession on its own 15 yard line.

YALE SCORES

Yale made a touchdown [illegible] second period.

It was the first time the Blue has [crossed] the goal line in Harvard stadium for a [illegible] T[illegible] came when [illegible] Yale [illegible] recovered a fumble by [illegible] and raced [illegible] down. Mallory made a point on a [illegible] making the score Yale 7 Harvard 0.

Neither could gain consistently and resorted to punting. Crimson gained slightly in kicking duel. After [illegible] and Cheel had made short gains Harvard fumbled and Yale recovered on its 37 yard line. The punting duel was resumed. McGlone replaced [illegible] at quarter for Harvard. Play was mostly in Yale's territory. Time was frequently taken out as players could rub mud from their faces.

TODAY'S SCORES

END FIRST PERIOD.
Notre Dame 7, Carnegie [illegible]
Minnesota 0, Michigan 0
Illinois 0, Ohio 0
Chicago 0, Wisconsin [illegible]

END FIRST HALF
Army 0, Navy 0
Yale 7, Harvard 0

OHIO, 0; ILL., 0 FIRST PERIOD

Columbus Ohio Nov 24—Illinois [and] Ohio [illegible] 0 to 0 [illegible] first [period] [illegible] today. [illegible] cast but the turf was firm after rain yesterday. About [illegible] partisans [illegible] Illinois [illegible] game [illegible]

SCRAPS OF NEWS

[illegible]

BOY DELEGATES TO MEET TUESDAY

Thirty-three to Go to Conference.

Delegates to the [illegible] Boys conference to be held in Galesburg Nov 30 Dec [illegible] and the ministers of Decatur churches will meet at dinner in the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock to lay plans for the conference.

[Thirty] three Decatur [boys have] signed as delegates to the conference and will go to Galesburg under the leadership of H. W. McDavid and Cloe Tricer.

The delegates [illegible] are:

Arthur Daniels	[illegible]
Ivan Olsen	[illegible]
[illegible] Henderson	[illegible]
Frank Bear	[illegible]
Russell Leh	[illegible]
William Trish	[illegible]
Wallace Tate	[illegible]
Freelin Harrell	Wayne Ferris
Daniel Lutz	William Mel[illegible]
Charles Deel	[illegible] Barnes
Lowell Smalley	Harold T[illegible]
Donald Baird	Stewart L[illegible]
Robert Taylor	Lloyd Moffett
Clarence [illegible]	Horton Ryd[illegible]
Andrew Senta	Willis Doughty
Robert Rockwell	James Hill
Esmond Stouffer	Frank Gu[illegible]
Marion McClelland	[illegible]
Lawrence Hehadov	

DECATUR DRAWS MANY NEGROES

George A. Brown Tells of Migration.

Decatur is one of the Illinois cities which is drawing a large proportion of the negroes which migrate to the north according to George A. Brown a superintendent of the African Methodist church who presides over the East St Louis and Alton districts. More of the negro migrators are coming into East St. Louis, Alton, Brooklyn, Madison, Springfield and Decatur than any other cities except Chicago. Higher wages and better living conditions are inducements.

Mr Brown goes on to say that a large number of negroes are buying lots and building their own little homes.

During the year from September 1922, to September 192[3] nearly a half million negroes came north. Georgia sent the largest number, 120,000.

ORGANIZE CHURCHES

Already we have found it necessary to organize churches and social settlement work in and around East St. Louis and Alton in order to get hold of our young people before they drift into crime," says Mr Brown. "This influx will also have its effect politically—many of the negroes have lost faith in the Republican party, and a large number are opposed to the Democratic party. The results at the coming election depend upon how these thousands of voters will be guided by those of us who have always voted in the north. It is hoped that the thinking white race and the thinking members of my race can get together and discuss plans by which the conditions can be made better. It is our duty as members of the negro race to welcome our brother from the south and see to it that they are treated fairly and with kindness."

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

[illegible] Thursday. [illegible] Pritchett. [illegible] Open house will be held at the Y. W. C. A. on Sunday afternoon at [illegible] the Millikin University [illegible] Tea will be served from [illegible] until [illegible] Everyone is invited to attend.

MARRIED.

HARRELL—KING

George Harrell of Louisville, Ill. and Miss Eula King of Taylorville were married in Decatur Saturday morning, the ceremony being performed at 11 o'clock by Judge J. H. McCoy at the court house.

MAYBURY—HIZERMAN

Miss Hazel Maybury and Chester Hizerman both of Mt. Zion were married Saturday afternoon at [illegible] in the office of Judge J. H. McCoy in the court House.

NEWS FROM THE SICK

A case of [illegible] reported [illegible] family of F. O. Zet[illegible] 540 West [illegible] street.

Mrs. C. Frank Clark [illegible] one who was operated on in Decatur and Macon County hospital Nov 17 is recovering nicely. She is able to see her friends.

Mrs. Mary P. Turner [illegible] West [illegible] avenue fell and broke her hip Wednesday and was taken to the Decatur and Macon County hospital. She was in her front yard and losing her balance and fell. [illegible] Strader father of Mrs. [illegible] [illegible] 1322 [illegible]

58 DIVORCE CASES SET FOR HEARING

Will Come Up Monday and Tuesday.

40 WOMEN, 18 MEN

Majority of Suits Charge Desertion.

[illegible] divorce cases will be tried Monday and Tuesday. During these two days Judge [illegible] has pledged [illegible] dispose of fifty eight divorce cases. Thirty three of these [illegible] Monday and twenty-five for Tuesday. If he makes the first day's schedule he will have to average [illegible] an hour.

[illegible] women and eighteen men [illegible] cases will be heard during the first two days of the week. Most of the suits are [illegible] of desertion. [illegible] Others [illegible]

[illegible] of married unhappiness the human mind can conceive will be told the court in these two days. The cases set for Monday and Tuesday are as follows:

MONDAY

[illegible]

450,000 SEALS FOR SALE IN DECATUR

No Concerted Drive to Be Made Here.

[illegible] Christmas seals have come into [the] Visiting Nurses office in the Citizens building [illegible] The money realized on the sale of the seals [will be] used in fighting tuberculosis in the state.

No definite plans have been made for the city distribution but no concerted drive will be made in the sale [illegible] of the Community Chest drive [illegible] the seal probably will be placed in the stores for sale and [illegible] calling at the office in the Citizens building.

Miss Neva Woods advisor of the Home Bureau has been appointed chairman of the seal sale in the rural districts which will be in charge of the units in the Macon County Home Bureau. The women of that organization pledged their hearty support at the last meeting [illegible] held. A contest will probably be conducted in the schools in the sale of seals and the room selling the most stamps will receive a prize.

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